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GERMANY AND

THE AMERICAN

MONROE DOCTRINE

DANZIG, OCT. 24 (REUTER). - GERMANY

TO A LONG AND SUSTAINED WAR.

In a speech remarkable for its virulence towards

HAS ACCEPTED THE ALLIES CHALLENGE

Great Britain, Herr von Ribbentrop, the man

who misinformed Hitler that Britain would

not fight, made this declaration at a big

yon'll know its teeth-

OCTOBER

WEDNESDAY.

日三十月九

Launches Tirade Against Chamberlain

WHAT COULD YOU

the Hongkong public illogical in its opposition to income tax?

In April, 1937, when new taxation became a possibility of the future, the "Telegraph" ran a questionnaire asking readers to vote for the type of taxation that they would like to see in force if additional taxation ever became necessary.

The final analysis of the letters received showed that 75 per cent, voted in favour of income tax.

Many people then, when income tax was not an imminent possibility, were prepared to make direct financial sacrifices in order to help the Government,

Now that the help is required, however, they seem to be willing to see increased taxation-but not the kind of taxation that would hit their own pockets.

### Conditions Changed

It must be admitted, however, that conditions have changed since the "Telegraph" questionnaire was issued. The ordinary taxpayer today faces great increases in rent and a higher cost of living than was the case in 1937.

Married people have higher financial outlays for their children as instanced by the increase in school fees.

How does the Hongkong public really feel about income tax to-day?

If you were treasurer of Hongkong, what would you do? Extra taxation is inevitable. We can't get away from that fact. Not only must normal social services be maintained-but-Government-must find money for defence and for extraordinary war contributions to the Imperial Government. Everyone will admit the latter obliga-

### More Revenue Wanted

The Government anticipates raising \$15,000,000 in extraordinary taxation this year-\$5,000,000 for the annual budget and \$10,000,000 for the extraordinary war budget.

Here is your opportunity to show the Government how you would raise this money-before it does what you don't want it to do.

Run through the following list of taxation old and new. In the space in an envelope to the "Hongkong

But keep your letters short. Space is valuable.

Income Tax, Business Tax, Sales Tax, Super Tax, Unemployment

Would you increase-Death dutles?

Enjertalnment Tax . . . . Would you add to existing duties on any of these commodities? If so, mark them with a tick-

Boor, spirits, wines, tobacco, elgarotics, perfumes, motor-cars? Would you increase taxation for-Radio licences, drivers licences,

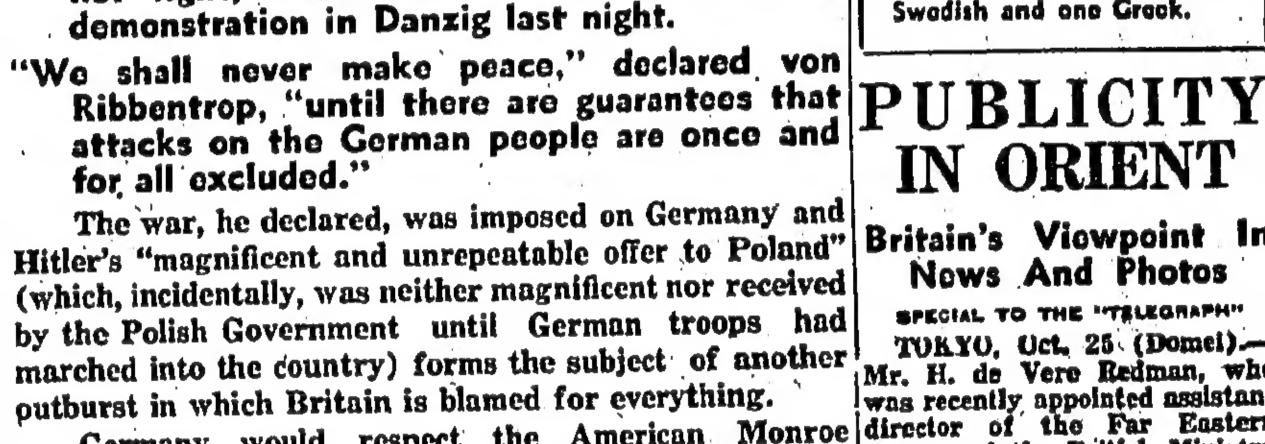
dog licences? Would you impose duties on any of these subjects. Mark with a tick highly suspicious development your choice or choices. childless bachelors,

Allens. Exchange margin spproclations, horse racing, club and other sweeps, cats, tea, petrol, oils,

salt, soft drinks. Cosmetics, luxury articles, elec- ment takes place.

readside heardings, water. these state them briefly below. If Europe," he declared.

Name (not for publication) PLEASE Tern To Page 2.



Germany would respect the American Monroe Doctrine (which guarantees the territorial integrity of all countries in the two Americas), but von Ribbentrop on Tuesday that his primary the end. claimed that the presence of British Colonies in South work would be to facilitate dis-America was a breach of the Doctrine.

# Describe

DANZIG Oct. 24 (Reuter).—In a speech to a big demonstration here to-night, Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, the Nazi Foreign Minister, stated that Danzig would never again be separated from the Reich.

The speech was broadcast by all German stations and sublities of starting a pictorial then sent out to the world in many foreign translations.

Referring to what he describgiven say what you would increase, ed as an attempt to make Danzig Then cut out this form and send it and the Reich responsible for the present state of war, Herr von Or send your suggestions on a post- Ribbentrop declared: "This war has, in the truest sense of the word, been imposed on Ger-

Herr von Ribbentrop proceeded to deal with the German-Polish negotialons regarding Danzig. He declared: "The astonishing attitude of Poland to Hitler's magnificent and unrepeatable offer seemed remarkable to me. To-day we have the answer to the riddle-England was behind it. "We know to-day that already at that time negotiations for guarantee

were on foot with England." Poland Responsible

Herr von Ribbentrop added that the German Government must make the Polish Government fully responsible for those events and for the

heir relations. Referring to the collapse of the Pollsh state, the Nazi Foreign Minister said that Germany would! now see to it that redistribution BIBBY LINER TRACEDY justified by real conditions was carried out and that a real appease-

tric signs, jewellery, furs, windows, "Now Soviet Russia and the great German Reich guarantee for the If you have suggestions better than whole future the maintenance of

How should Government cut expen- Hitler's efforts towards Angloagain and again that Britain had and that Hitler had only abandoned —The names of a number of "Dr. Goebbels has imputed to the Swastike fing. adopted an unconcillatory attitude his efforts when forced to recognise women and children appear British what the Nazis would have

> Germany And Russia He declared that the conclusion of owners.



VON'RIBBENTROP

# Children

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). against the Western Powers. that Britain did not want to among the list of those missing to Mr. Churchill what the Nazis have, conciliate. The list was issued to-day by the

PLEASE Turn To Page 2.

### COMPLETE FAILURE OF ATTACKS ON CONVOYS

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Router).—A special commentary to-day states that German air losses in convoy action have been entirely ignored in German broadcasts.

For instance, five German aircraft were lost in the raid on a convoy off the Humber on October 21. This was not mentioned by any Corman wireless.

SEIZURE

OF U.S.

LINER

Mr. Cordoll Hull's

Statement

ter).-More than half the City

of Flint's cargo was probably

conditional contraband and a

small part probably absolute

contraband, declared Mr. Cordell

He declined to: state what action

U.S. Wants Explanation

-The State Department has instruct

ed the Embassy in Berlin to ask for

**Political Comment** 

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (Reuter)

-Commenting on the seizure of the

Mr. T. C. Hennings, a member of

the House Foreign Affairs Committee,

expressed the belief that the seizure

of the City of Flint would lose few

Waiting For News

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter)

-The United States Government is

still trying to find out from Russia

details of the seizure of the City of

Flint, but no information is yet re-

President Roosevelt stated at a Press

Replying to a question, the Pre-

He added that a report was re-

May Soon Be Freed

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—The

United States Embassy in Berlin has

German Government for a full ex-

planation of the seizure of the City

of Flint, the 6,501-ton liner which is

At present the German Admiralty

PLEASE Turn To Page 2.

received instructions to ask the arms embargo is repealed.

ceived of the whereabout of the ercw.

conference to-day.

replied in the negative.

City of Flint back.

votes for Embargo in the House.

seizure of the City of Flint.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).

Press conference.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reu-

The fact that the British sustained no losses in the recent engagements seems to show the definite superiority of the British fighting machines.

Gorman mines have sunk two more nautral ships, one Swedish and one Greek.

# IN ORIENT

Britain's Viewpoint In News And Photos SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

TOKYO, Oct. 25 (Domei). Mr. H. de Vere Redman, who was recently appointed assistant the Government might take. He said director of the Far Eastern the incident was apparently moving in the direction of prize court proof Information, told reporters matter of force from the beginning to proposals deleting the clause permitting belligerents to obtain 90-day

The headquarters of the Far Eastern Bureau is established at Hongkong-with-Mr.-R.-H.-Scott. as the director.

Mr. Redman said that he and Mr. Scott would visit various countries in the Far East and establish contacts with local British communities.

City of Flint, Senator Connally re-The section of which Mr. Redman minded the Senate that shipping reis in charge includes Japan, China, strictions in the proposed Neutrality Thailand, French Indo-China, Nether-Bill would prevent a recurrence of lands East Indies and Malay States. such cases.

### Pictorial Magazine

"At present I am studying the posmugazine such as published by the British Government at the time of the Great War," Mr. Redman said. "The fact that relations between Japan and Britain have considerably improved after the signing of the Soviet-German non-aggression pact is also very encouraging," he continued.

He denied the report as without foundation that £3,000,000 had been deposited in Japon as a fund for sident said a Government-owned British propaganda enterprises in the ship was practically in the same status as a private vessel as far as Far East

"When I left England after being scizure was concerned. appointed to my present position, did so with a feeling that England celved from the United States Amwould not consider any German pro- bassador in Moscow that all the facts posals for peace. After Herr Hit- about the seizure are not yet known ler's and Mr. Chamberlain's speeches, there. I am more convinced that this will be a very long war."

### German Radio Defends Mr. Churchill

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—Des- owned by the United States Shipping

pite heavy jamming, the German Board. "Freedom" station can be heard sharply attacking Dr. Goebbels's tirade against Mr. Winston Churchill. denies any knowledge of the selzure. The announcer said the "speech Saturday by a German cruiser while carried our memory back to the days when the Nazis, foaming and boiling she was on her way from America to with rage, started the persecution of Liverpool and Glasgow. their opponents at home by setting the Reichstog ablaze. They now be- port of Tromso, but put to sea again "Times." lieve they can use the same methods two hours later, and Norwegian

against Mr. Churchill, but one thing crew of 18 men. the German-Russian pact has put The missing comprise mostly of you cannot say—that he uses Nazi mothods," concluded the announcer.

**Neutrality Act** 

IN THE LEGISTICS OF THE STATE O

# U.S. SENATE PASSES VITAL AMENDMENT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—The Senate has approved the amendment to the Neutrality. Bill to lift drastic restrictions on United States shipping except in the North Atlantic danger

The amendment would permit American vessels to carry any materials except to belligerent ports in the South Atlantic, Pacific and Indian Oceans, China, Tasman and Arabian Seas, the Bay of Bengal, Bermuda, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

AMBUSHES

AND RAIDS

Nazi Counter Attack

On Village Fails

Reports received here indicate

that the French were successful

in a daring raid in the east of

Moselle and were also successful

West of Forbach, in the

French. Wave after wave of

men were sent forward, but when

the attack churd, the village was still

Raids And Ambushes

PARIS, Oct. 24 (Reuter) .-- A com-

"During the inter part of last night

and to-day, there were raids and

ambushes at several points, and there

were fairly sharp engagements to-

rards the south-eastern border of the

Forest of Warndt, where one of our

"It was relieved by a counter-

LATEST

posts was attacked by the enemy.

attack launched immediately."

in French hands.

munique - states:

PARIS, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-

The Senate has also approved Hull, the U.S. Secretary of State, the amendment permitting in- WESTERN FRONT to-day in a lengthy discussion on land commerce with Canada and Mexico to continue normally the seizure of the vessel at a without requiring the purchasers to obtain title to supplies before they are transported across the border.

The Senate has also accepted the

Vote On Bill This Week

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP).-The Senate to-day formally agreed to limit the debate entirely to the neutrality issue, and each Senator is in the Saarbruecken region north a full explanation of the reported nilowed a maximum of 45 minutes to of Forbach. speak on the Bill itself.

The same rules apply to any amendment to the Bill, and a vote Warndt Forest, the Germans on the Bill is considered virtually launched a determined attack certain for Friday or Saturday this against the village held by the

After the Senate vote the House of Representatives will begin its debate, probably on Monday, and some Congressional leaders express the belief that Congressional adjournment is likely by November 4. A meeting of 14 Isolationist members in Senator Hiram Johnson's office also agreed to the limitation of

the debate. Senators Borah and LaFolietie both sald that there is no doubt but that a vote will be taken this week-end.

# U.S. Equipping French Army

Cash Transactions For Shoes, Blankets

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-The French Government has placed orders for between Asked whether he had authority 1,500 and 2,000 motor lorries under the existing law to order (trucks) with an American firm. The French Ambassador to American ships to stay away from the war zones, President Roosevelt Washington said to-day that France is already buying large quantities of

He added that he hoped to get the blankets, shoes etc., for the army, and is prepared to pay in cash. Later, he said, the French Government might buy horses. He indicated that big orders for war supplies would be placed if the

See Back Page For: Further Late News

# NAZI DISTORTION OF OFFICIAL STATEMENTS

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—A statement on the subject of gas warfare in Poland has been made by a medical expert of cha was taken to the Norwegian the University of Basic to the Basic correspondent of the

He says that he examined some the poisoning occurred. sallors say they saw her hoist the German soldiers who were suffering | The German press and broadcast Yesterday she arrived at the Gulf from gas poleoning. He was then represented by the that he had given evidence of Polish Nazi propaganda machine as having resort to gas warfare. The Soviet authorities promptly supplied neutral information of the This he strongly declares to be

"You may say whatever you like detained her and a German prize use of poison gas by the Poles. It is not known whether the that although he found men suffering is possibly preparation for the institute from "Yellow Cross" gas poisoning, tion of gas warfare by the Germana.

he found no evidence to indicate how announcements, however, claimed

He told the "Times" correspondent He is afraid that the whole affair

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### CHUNGSHAN DISTRESS

### British Fund Promises \$1,000 a Month

The payment of \$1,000 a month. from July to December to Rev. H. A. Wittenbach, for relief agencies in the Chungshan district was recently sanctioned by the Board of Administrators of the British Fund for the Rellef of Distress in China, according to a statement by the Secre-

tary, Hon, Mr. M. K. Lo. other paramount claims on the Fund, | must emphasise that the sum of days. the Board has agreed to continue \$720 for entrance fees is not inthe grant for six months, if the re- cluded in the Income and Expendilief work undertaken by the relief ture Account, having been placed agencies continues to the same ex- directly to the Reserve Account in tent as now existing, and subject to accordance with recommendations of particulars of expenditure being for- our Auditors. Taking this into conwarded to the Secretary.

forwarded for this purpose to Mr. | tion, I feel justified in saying that the Wittenbach in respect of July-Octo- year's working is satisfactory and the ber, and another for \$1,000 will be general position of the Club can be sent him each month. Besides sending a cheque for \$16,-1000 to the Foreign Auxiliary to the National Red Cross Society of China but the percentage of profit was for the purchase of blankets, the higher. With the heavy liquor duties Board has also given drugs to the that have been put into effect, the value of \$13,020.40 to that body for question of revising the bar prices distribution to bodies and relief, will have to be given early conigencies who cannot afford to pay. The charity football match arranged by the Hongkong Football Association on October 10 resulted in \$2,263:05 (net proceeds) being

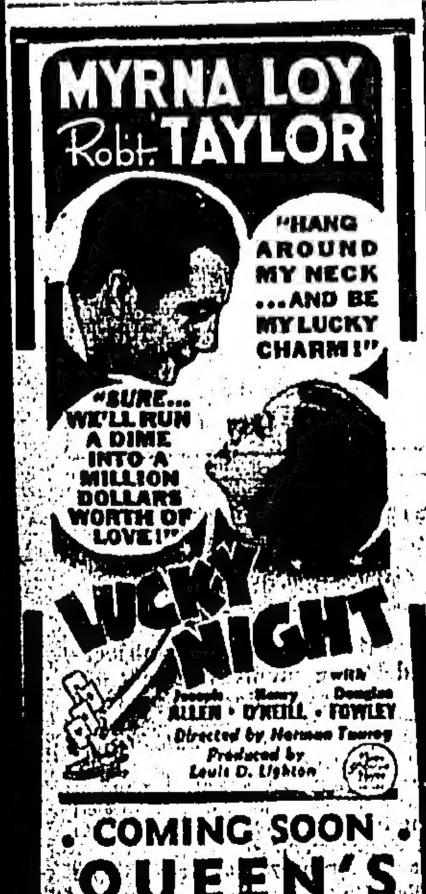
### PHOTO EXHIBITION Amateur and Professionals

ent to the Fund.

To Compete Here The first all-China Exhibition of Pictorial Photography will be held at the Peacock Room, Exchange Building, from December 6 to December , and will be open to all photographers resident in Hongkong and China. Professional and amateur photographers will be given opportunity of exhibiting their pic-

tures on equal terms. After the exhibition in Hongkong. the best fifty prints representing pictorial photography in China will be sent to London. They will exhibited at the galleries of the Royal Photographic Society, later being sent on a tour photographic clubs

throughout Great Britain. -Entries for the all-China Exhibition will close on November 25. Entry forms can now be obtained at all photographic dealers, or from the Hon, Exhibition Secretary, The Photographic Society, P.O. Box No. 1245, Hongkong.



FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN

What to do to holp a child

hus been assaulted, neglected, or Reviewing the international as well conditions for deepening this friendcause unnecessary suffering or injury weekly memorial meeting of the to health, or knowing of a parent Central Knomintang yesterday, Dr. betainable from The Union Trading concerning a child, would be doing Minister, declared that the outbreak and the Soviet was already operating d'Italia." an act of kindness by communicating of the European war resulted in and would increase yearly. They at once with-

The Hon. General Secretary, H.K.S.P.C., Old City Hall, The Inspector, 49, Pokfulam Road,

The Inspector, 15, Star St., Wanchal. The Inspector, 12, Sai Yeung Choi St., Kowloon.

All further steps will be taken, and expenses borne, by the Society. The Informant's name will kept strictly private, except in cases where malice is proved.

Annual Meeting

### CRAIGENGOWER SUBSCRIPTION MAY BE RAISED

ALTHOUGH the senson under review was one of the best the Club has had, the President, Rent moderate. Apply 269, Prince | Mr. B. W. Bradbury, hinted of the possibility of an increase Just Hot Air Annual General Meeting of the Craigengower Cricket

yesterday. Following the adoption of the reports and accounts, a proposal by Mr. Bradbury that Mr. C. S. Rosselet be elected a Life Member of the Club was carried unanimously.

In his review of the year's activities. Mr. Bradbury said, in part: Before proceeding with the business of the meeting, let me express the Club's deep regret at the passing of Dr. J. S. Guzdar and Mr. J. Forsyth. The profit of \$448.90 shows a slight At the end of the year, subject to increase over last year, but here I Foreign Minister, in the last few sideration, and the extremely liberal A cheque for \$4,000 has been allowance of \$2,128.45 for deprecia-

> regarded as very sound. HEAVY LIQUOR DUTIES BAR SALES dropped over \$2,600,

Subscriptions showed a nice increase. Towards the latter part of the season your Committee decreed that all new members pay one year's subscription in advance, and I feel that this practice will ultimately prove beneficial to the Club. The amount of bad debts written off-\$104.22-is the smallest figure in

I cannot say, however, that I view the new season with any great hopes, The question of an increase in monthly subscriptions may have to come up at some future date.

SPORTING ACTIVITIES IN the Bowls' section, our first finished runners-up. second and third teams also did very well. Permit me to congraulate U. M. Omar on winning the Colony's Singles. Championship ngain making the fourth successive. year that this event has been won by a momber of the Craigengower

Cricket Club. The performance of our Cricketers was not up to expections, especially after the success of the previous sea-

Office bearers elected for the ensuing senson are as follows: Mr. C. S. Rosselet (Vice President), mission announced that the American efforts when he was compelled to Mr. E. Zimmern (Hon. Secretary), steamer, Crown City, rescued five recognise that England did not desire Mr. A. E. Contes (Hon. Treasurer), survivors of the Menin Ridge and the such friendship," he asserted. and Mesers. R. Basa; Dr. N. P. entire crew of the freighter Ledbury. Karanjia, L. C. R. Souza, W. K. Way, T. Locke, W. J. Leonard, A. B. Hamson, and Dr. C. W. Lam (Committee).

Mr. E. Zimmern was elected Captain, 1st XI, and Mr. B. R. Irence captain of the 2nd XI. Convenors: Mr. L. C. R. Souza (Bowls), Mr. J. W. Leonard (Tennis), Mr. C. Rossolct (Social), Mr. R. Basa (Bar), and Mr. T. Locke (House).

Army Tennis

### Hongkong Area Championships

At the finals of the Hongkong Area Tennis League held at Sockunpoo yesterday, the Royal Army Ordnance Corps bent the Medicals five points

to four. The Army Doubles Championship was won by Duffield and Emberson, of the R.A.O.C., the Singles Champlouship went to Webb, of R.A.M.C. .Mrs. Rogers, wife of Col. T. L. Rodgers, presented the trophics.

and Cpl. Webb, 6-2; beat Cpl. Mussen to withdraw the 750-ton desputch knitting and sewing. Capt. Tracey and Comdr. Aslett ship is salling from Hankow for being done with materials provided (R.A.O.C.) lost to Smith and Harvey. Annam on October 30. 4-6; lost to Stevens and Webb, 5-7; It. will corry about 60 French In Notal a handful of residents

beat Mussen and Milne, 6-2.

### ADVERTISEMENTS. European War Helps China H. H. Kung Reviews The Situation.

Wednesday

ill-treated in a manner likely to as the Sino-Japanese situation at the ship. much anxiety concerning possible would reach the highest point of consequences in the Far Eastern turnover shortly.

But "events since then have shown that the European war has had no unfavourable effects on China,"

stated. Assistance Increases their sympathy and assistance to finent.

be China increased. "effective pronouncement at the same time a severe blow to the Japanese militarists."

After recalling recent military successes in North North Kinngsi and South Shansi provinces, Dr. Kung stressed the stability of the Chinese political and financial situation.

# Presumably Club Ribbentrop-Hitler Talks

Unimportant BERLIN, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-The official news agency declares that political circles deny reports that a discussion of decisive importance concerning the international situation has taken place between the Fuchrer and von Ribbentrop,

that special reports were called for people will not tolerate sly, imand received from the Ambassadors pudent instructions, declared Herr in Morcow and Rome do not von Ribbentrop. correspond to the facts.

No New Peace Move The same applies to news abroad concerning alleged war conduct. The agency adds: "The German attitude in consequence of Mr. Chamberlain's rejection of the German neace offer is well-known. Germany sees no reason for making a new

peace move."

### WOMEN AND CHILDREN ARE MISSING

(Continued from Page 1.)

service men and their families, and include Colonel W. L. E. Reynolds, RIAIM.C., Colonel-H.-Cornford, R.A.O.C., Captain F. W. Beer (Lancashire) Regiment), and Squadron Leader P. Thripp, R.A.F. The missing also include a number

of non-commissioned officers and men of the various British units. Two More Ships Sunk LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-The British steamer Clan Chisholm (7,256

Our report reaching Glasgow. Another British steamer, Menin Ridge (2,474 tons), is also reported officially to have been sunk. The Clan Chishelm, one of the big fleet if Clan Line Steamers, Ltd., of Glasgow, was only built in 1937. It said. was constructed by the Greenock Dockyard Co., Ltd., at Greenock. The Menin Ridge, built in 1924 by the Burntisland S.B. Co., Ltd:, at

Burntisland, is owned by the Ridge Steamship Company. Survivors Rescued Mr. B. W. Bradbury (President), -The United States Maritime Com-

Both vessels were lost in North Atlantic. Twenty-two members of the crew of the Menin Ridge were lost.

Greek Steamer Sunk LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-The Greck ship, Konstantinos Hadjipateras (5,952 tons) was sunk to-day by and chose Poland us the recipient of

The vessel was built in 1913 by Mesars, J. L. Thompson and Co., of Sunderland. An ambulance was walting when a life-boat urrived at. Great 'Yarmouth with 15 men after they had been

transferred to her by a British vessel, times," he declared. The captain said the ship sank carly to-day. A few men got into a life-bont and others dived overboard. The missing men were among those scen swimming in the water. The men were taken to the Sallors' Home, which had just been evacuated

by the crew of the Norwegian oil tanker, Deodata, which was sunk in the North Sen on Saturday last,

### France Withdraws A Gunboat

HANKOW, Oct. 25. (Domet) ganised first-aid and A.R.P. lectures
French naval authorities have decided within a few days and have started to withdraw the 750-ton despatch knitting and sewing.

In Vancouver similar work is the provided ship is sailing from Hankow for being done with materials provided ship is sailing from Hankow for by the Canadian Government.

Sir Pric Phipps

Sir Pric Phipps

Significant for military and other duties in the same manner as the King's subjects, same manner as the King's subjects, same manner as the king's subjects. Major Horvey, 6-4: beat Set, Stevens French naval authorities have decided within a few days and have started

(R.A.O.C.) lost to Smith and Harvey, French Concession in Hankow will They are raising funds for the Red preclations of the work done by Sir their homes and live in liberty after the Red preclations of the French troops and 14 French marines. for the troops.

### PLENTY OF ADJECTIVES TO DESCRIBE BRITAIN

(Continued from Page 1.)

Germany's foreign policy on a new basis. Traditional German-Soviet friendly relations were restored and CHUNGKING, Oct. 24 (Reuter) there existed all the necessary

> my far-reaching agreements the exchange of raw materials and in-Territorial divergence between the

two states was out of the question for ever, he prophesied. Regarding Germany's relations with the United States, there could

not be any divergence at all with problems for the Balkan system. Continuing, the Chinese Financial that country, Germany had ab-The Inspector, 52, Argyle St., Minister stated that friendly Powers. solutely no interests on the American continued to be greatly concerned continent except for greatest possible with the Far Eastern situation while trade with all states on that con-

and could bring Britain into violent she will continue to watch the conflict with it.

Referring to the question of war. guilt, Herr von Ribbentrop said that, among the whole world public opinion, there was not the slightest doubt that the French people did not want this war. They would rather have pence to-day than to-morrow.

### Imposed By Britain

That war had been imposed on them by Britain by negotiations in Parls and with the French Govern-

Herr von Ribbentrop added that Government

Mr. Chamberlain did not go to

culous and impudent.

scrupulous. want to allenate the German people; well outside of the war's orbit. The agency says that the statement from their leader. The German

Broke Agreement

By declaring war on Germany, Mr. Chamberlain had broken his agreement with Hitler that Britain and

each other again. Mr. Chamberlain did not understand Hitler's historic peace offer. Misguided by his policy, Mr. Chamberlain took it as 'a sign of weakness.

there are guarantees that such in mand for dominion status. attack against the German people is once and for all excluded.

Versailles Treaty

DANZIG, Oct. 24 (UP),-"This war has been forced on to Germany," declared von Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister in a speech in the Nazi Old Guard here to-day. He made a lengthy review of the diplomatic events leading to German conflict with Poland,

"Germany never left Poland in any doubt as to the fact that sooner or later the problems of Danzig and the tons) has been sunk, according to a Corridor must be solved," he declared, and added that Danzig would never again be separated from the Reich. He charged that Poland was solely responsible for the conflict. For six months they had ignored Germany's "unbelievably generous offer," he

Further, he recalled that in one phase of Germon foreign policy—the destruction of the Versailles Treaty-"the Fuchrer never even touched the vital interests of the Western demo-

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). sought an understanding with Britain. nations. "The Fuchrer only ceased his

> Britain's "Pretext" "There is not a single doubt but that the French people are opposed to war," he said, and charged that the war has been the British objective since the Munich Agreement. Britain needed a pretext, he said British mutual ald pledges.

"The German people are now determined to fight this war and to continue until the security of the German Reich is guaranteed, and until the danger of attack on German people has been removed for all

### RALLY ROUND Entering War Work With Gusto

Empire have taken up war work. In Sydney the women have or-(R.A.O.C.) beat Lt.-Col. Smith and HANKOW, Oct. 25. (Domel) ganised first-aid and A.R.P. lectures

troops and be escorted down the collected £50 within a few days and

### Signor Gayda Has Doubts

Dissertation On New Tripartite Pact ROME, Oct. 24 (Reuter). Doubts whether the Turkish

Agreement is an instrument of peace is expressed by Signor who is seeking advice on any matter H. H. Kung, the Chinese Finance dustrial products between Germany Gayda, writing in the "Giornalo Signor Gayda recalls that the pact in its origin, was based on "Franco-

British' policy of encirclement", and aimed at preventing Italian expansion in the Mediterranean. He says that despite this trenty Turkey continues to belong to the Ballian Entente and raises new

'Idyllic Lovers' Meetings" The newspaper reaffirms that following the union of Albania with Italy, the latter's policy extends to But while Germany always res- the heart of the Balkans. It adds: . Dr. Kung particularly mentioned peeted the Monroe Doctrine, the "That is the essential point. Some Mr. Joseph Grew's speech' as an existence of many British colonies, newspapers seek to cloak the facts possessions, coaling stations, naval in hazy pictures of idyllic lovers' interests of international justice, and bases, etc. on the American continent meetings, but Italy turns a deaf cor signified a breach of this Doctrine to the serenades. On the contrary sequence of events with a very sharp

# Yen Movement Was Expected

London Not Surprised LONDON. Oct. 24 (Reuter) .- The Japanese decision to link the yen to he could prove beyond all doubt that the dollar instead of to the pound this war against Germany had been sterling has created no surprise or systemetically and secretly prepared dissatisfaction in London financial for years by the present British circles. On the contrary, it is regarded as the logical step.

Munich in order to prevent war, but With Britain and France both at cursed, the City of Flint could not be to postpone the war the British war, there must be a certain amount sailed for British ports. Government had decided upon, he of uncertainty regarding the future levels of the sterling and the franc, The British assertion that Germany and it is the general opinion that aimed at world domination was ridi-| Japan is only following the example already set by the Scandinavian Britain's foreign policy was un- countries in aligning her currencies to the dollar which, in actual fact, is By slandering Hitler, the Britishi the only major currency at present

### Gandhi Deplores India Decision

BOMBAY, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-In statement to-day Mahatma Gandhi to redouble their efforts. Germany would never go to war with ; said that although the Viceroy's recent declaration concerning the future of India's constitution was "un- sistance to China. doubtedly deplorable", it was irre- sympathy is increasing, as evidenced

resolution calling on all the Ministers to resign leaves the door open; he this success on the front was coupied.

### 'Proper Punishment' For Advertisers

SHANGHAI, Oct. 34 (UP).-Wang Ching-wei's cultural anti-Communist division has circularised advertisers in the American owned "Chinese-Amercian Daily News" to withdraw their advertising on threat of "proper punishment." The newspaper is strongly anti-

Wang Ching-wel,

### Sikorski Thanks The Allies

PARIS, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-General Sikorski, the Prime Minister of Poland, to-day expressed in the "Petit Parisien" his gratitude for the sympathetic treatment of the Polish For years, he said, Germany has cause by the press of the allied

Despite the horrors of war and the occupation of Poland, no Pole has lost courage, he says, nor has any Pole any doubts that his country will one day be free again.

### Embargo Debate To Continue

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24' (Reuter) The Senate has refused to apply an additional one at Ah Kung Ngam. Purliamentary guillotine to the Embargo Debate.

The measure will now be threshed out by its opponents. The Isolationist Group, headed by Senator Johnson, will probably mee to-day to reconsider their decision.

### EMPIRE WOMEN No Information On Peace Reports

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP) are Food Factories (2), Food Prescription of State, Mr. Cordell Hull Shops (2), Shops (2). LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—
Letters received in this country indicate how the women of the British dicate how the women of the British Ambassador to China, Mr. Nelson T.

Senid that he domei reformation regarding the REICH REFUGEES

# LETTERS

Silk Shop Hours

The Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.

Sir,-At the invitation of Mr. H. R. Butters, Labour Officer, Indian merchants met at his office en Saturday and discussed hours of emp.oyment. Owners of silk stores promised to consider the matter which is now being discussed by the parties ber of undelivered articles are

In the meantline, I take this opportunity to request those who have the interests of employees at heart to stay their hands and cease agiation in public or in the Press. Wh.le having full sympathy with the employees, we should also not shut eyes to some of the difficulties our which the employers have. H. M. PARWANI.

> SEIZURE OF U.S. LINER

(Continued from Page 1.)

The Soviet authorities state that the detention is only temporary and American circles in Moscow believe that arrangements will soon be made to enable her to sail again. The Germans claim that she carried con-

traband cargo, Perfectly Legal Voyage WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). -President Roosevelt's Press Secretpry, Mr. Stephen Early, said to-day that the City of Flint was on a perfeetly legal and lawful voyage under the present laws. Asked whether International Law

permitted Germany to sail the ship into a neutral port, Mr. Early said that the State Department examining that aspect and had asked American representatives abroad to gather all the facts. Mr. Early pointed out that under neutrality legislation now being dis-

### REVIEW BY DR. KUNG Developments Become More Favourable

Chungking, Oct. 23. International and domestic developments were reviewed by Dr. H. H. Kung, Minister of Finance, at meeting this morning. Dr. Kung said prospects for China's war of resis-able and should enhearten the people | Shanghai and Amoy .......Oct. 29.

The European war did not deter! the friendly Powers' material International by Mr. Grew's speech at Tokyo. The Congress Working Committee's Dr. Kung referred to the victory in Hunan and Kinngsi and sald

> ment has never been stronger before. He enumerated many cases wherein the Chinese in occupied areas defled the coersion of the Japledge unswervirg to panese

Response to the appeal for soldiers' winter clothing this season was universal. Dr. Kung mentioned the magnificent gift of G\$100,000 from Mr. Li Kuo-ching in New York. Political efficiency, in "occupied" areas, is improving. Particularly

noteworthy results were achieved in the earing of refugees and promotion of local production. Dr. Kung said that the National Government paid particular attention to public opinion organs, and a National People's Congress will be called shortly when the question of placing the nation into constitutionalism will be discussed,-Central

### URBAN COUNCIL Erection of Latrines In-Kowloon City

Proposals for the erection of Intrines on 'Crown land in Kowloon City were passed by the Urban Councll yesterday. Mr. W. J. Carrie, Chairman, said Medical Department reports stressed the need for the accommoda' lon, as there was none at Latrines will be creeted at Nam-

muntau, Tunglau, Sheungshapo, Ngatsinwai, Pokong, and Ha Un Ling and Licences were refused for a restaurant at 18 and 20. Ngatsinwai Road, first floors; food factory for 39, Fuk Lo Tsun Road, ground floor; a food shop for , 36, Halphong Road, ground floor, and 82, Des Vocux Road Central, ground floor; offensive trade for the premises on K. I. L. 1992, Mok Cheong Street; and an application for permission to use the basement garage at 109, Hollywood Road

List of licences granted by the Council between October, 9 and 23 are,-Food Factories (2), Food Pre-

NAIROBL. Oct. 24 (Reuter) .- Ger-

LONDON, Oct. 24. (Reuter) - Many In their letter they express pratiof the Brench newspapers; carry and tude for leave given them to rebuild

### POST OFFICE

ADDITION OF SENDER'S

ADDRESS' Every article sent through the Posts should bear in the left-hand corner, or on the back, the nan 1 and address of the sender, so that the Post Office may be able in case of non-delivery, to return it unopened and without delay. A large numdestroyed every year at the Returned Letter Officer because they contain. no clue, outside or inside, of the

whereabouts of the senders. Owing to the uncertainty of Sea transport the public are requested to post Christmas Parcels carly, preferably before the end of October.

Small Packet Post to all countries is suspended.

OUTWARD MAIL TIMES Registered and Parcel Mail are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where malls are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day. When mails are advertised to close after 5

p.m. Registered and Parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. INWARD MAILS Air Mail by "Air France Direct Service"-Paris date, 18th October. Air Mail by "Pan American Airways.

Direct Service"-San Francisco date, 19th October ..... Oct. 25. Haiphong Pakhol and Holhow Oct. 25. Shanghai .....Oct. 25. Straits and Tourane ......Oct. 25. Manila .....Oct. 25. Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"-London date, 18th Oct. Shanghai ......Oct. 26. Shanghal and Amoy ..... Oct. 26. Japan .....Oct. 26. U.S.A., Honolulu and Japan (Son Francisco date, 30th September)

Canton .....Oct. 27. Japan . . . . . . . . . . . . . Oct. 27. Shanghai .....Oct. 27. Calcutta and Saigon ......Oct. 28. Japan and Shanghai ...... Oct. 28. U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco date, 6th October) ......Oct. 28. Air Mall by "Imperial Airways

Direct Service"-London date 21st October. . . . . . . . . . . . Oct. 29. Haiphong, Pakhol and Hoihow Japan and Shanghai ...... Oct. 29. Manila .....Oct. 20.

Straits .....Oct. 30.
Australia and Manila .....Oct. 31.

OUTWARD MAILS Wednesday, Oct. 25 Shanghai, U.S.A., Central and South America and Canada via San Francisco, (No Parcels for Canada) -due San Francisco, 10th Nov.

Parcels, .....Oct. 25, 4 p.m. Reg., ......Oct. 25, 5 p.m. Ord., .....Oct. 25, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. Parcels, .....Oct. 25, 4 p.m. Ord., .....Oct. 25, 7 p.m. Air Mail for Indo-China, Iran, and France (Paris and Northern Provinces only) by the "Air France Airways Direct Service"-due-

Paris, 2nd November. K.P.O. Reg. ......Qct. 25, 5 p.m. Ord. .....Oct. 25, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. Ord. .....Oct. 25, 7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 26 Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honoluly and U.S.A., by the "Pan American

Airways Direct Service"-due San Francisco, 1st November. K.P.O. Reg. .....Oct. 25, 5 p.m.. Ord. .... Oct. 25, 5.30 p.m.. G.P.O. Reg. ..... Oct. 25. 5 p.m. Reg. .....Oct. 26, 7.30 B.D.

Halphong ..... I p.m.

Friday, Oct. 27 Swatow and Shanghal ....3:30 p.m. Monila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island-due Thursday Island 9th November. K. P. O. G. P. O. Reg ..... p.m.

Ord. .... ? :p.m.. Saturday, Oct. 28 Stralts and Calcutta Monday, Oct. 30" Shanghal, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A.: Central and South America via Vancouver B.C., (Parcels for

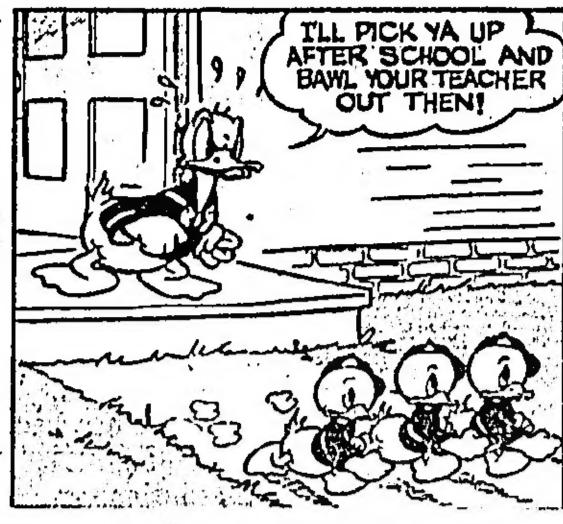
Canada only)-due Voncouver. B.C., 18th November G.P.O. and R.P.O. Porcels ...........Oct... 30,16 p.m. Reg. ..... Oct. 31. 9:15 am. Parente anty for Strate ..... 1 p.m.

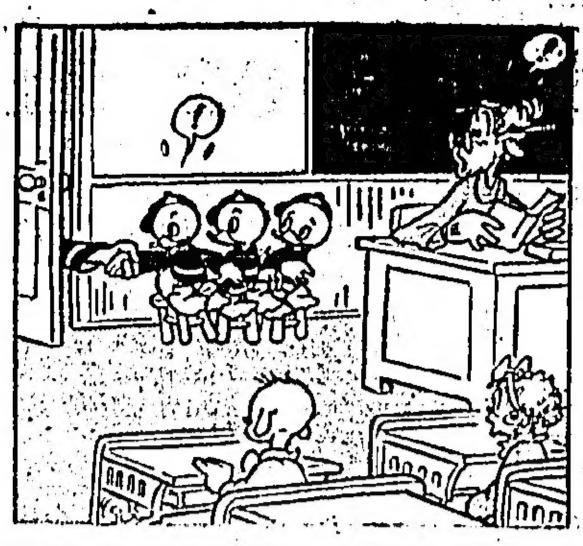
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Bervice"-due Ferdon, 8th Nov. Reg. ..... Oct. 31, 5 p.m. Ord. ..... Oct. 31, 5.30 p.m. Ort. .....Oct. 31, 7 p.m. Air Mall for Malava. Java and Aus-In a petition they ask to be accepted trails by "Imperial Altways Direct. Servico"-due Sydney, 5th Nov. /

Ord. .... Description 31, 7 p.m.

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### Colony's Finance

# FOR COMMITTEE

Supplementary votes totalling \$570,000 are to come before the Fin- Precautions instruction necessitates furance Committee to-morrow for consideration. Many of the votes are chase and erection of Strens \$10,000. the result of the war and include Owing to outbreak of war, it is necesvarious grants; to the Volunteers any to accolerate the work of connecting have been foreseen at the time the following the increase in numbers as a result of compulsory service. Camp expenses will need \$50,200 and \$20,- is in need of additional classroom accom-000 will go in uniforms.

payment of naval volunteers and the lie school, has been approved by the expenses connected with their mobi- can be rented at \$75 per month. lisution.

Air raid sirens, the crection of which has been accelerated by the installed in Hongkong and Kowloon Fire outbreak of the war, w.ll take \$10,000 Stations in connection with Air Raid Year, and the Medical Department is asking for \$25,000 for extra fuel and penses \$6,000, light expenses as a result of new In view of the urgent necessity equipment, and \$23,000 for new in- recruit more auxiliary firemen the struments.

Kai Tak will take \$36,000 and the -Air Services:-Uniforms \$250, the use of aviation companies is insterials and increases in personnel. estimuted to cost \$19,000. The votes are:

Illa Excellency The Governor:-Coal, Electric Pans and Light for Public Rooms Home leave and the allowance was not The expenditure under this sub-head has proved greater than was anticipated. Forestry \$2,000. of trees has rendered necessary the em- is due to an increase in the cost of steel ployment of additional temporary forest and galvanized water pipes.

4. Armoured Car and Motor Machine Gun have been held this year the provision, trinks show no sign of abating. made on this sub-head is found to be insufficient. Defence Volunteer Defence Corps:-Сатр Екрепкея \$50,200. Owing to increase in Corps strength, change of personnel in the office of 2nd additional days in Camps and week-end Police Magistrate. exercises over the past two months the amount provided in the above-mention- Materials \$4,500. ed vote in found insufficient. Defence Volunteer Defence Corps:-Incident Expenses \$250. by more then two-thirds.

ed the Mintery Hospital for training, the materials have increased. amount provided in the 1939 Estimates is found insufficient. New Uniforms

Defence,-Volunteer Defence Corps:--Uniform \$20,000.

Owing to increase in the Corps strength coke, the introduction of Deep X-Ray the amount provided in the above-mentationed sub-head is insufficient. A sup-plementary vote-for-is-requested to-promand and Piers \$7,800.

As the result of unusually heavy repairs being necessary to the Tstm Shape in the first month of the pairs being necessary to the Tstm Shape in the first month of the pairs being necessary to the Tstm Shape in the first month of the pairs being necessary to the Tstm Shape in the first month of the pairs being necessary to the Tstm Shape in the first month of the pairs being necessary to the Tstm Shape in the first month of the pairs being necessary to the Tstm Shape in the first month of the pairs being necessary to the Tstm Shape in the first month of the pairs being necessary to the Tstm Shape in the first month of the pairs being necessary to the Tstm Shape in the first month of the first month of the pairs being necessary to the cost pair will be required to cover the cost paper.

This is due to the corrosive qualities Orehoster. Special Expenditure. Rent of the Regi- Instruments \$23,000. mental Sergeant Major's quarter \$276. to free Government quarters but none | Filipy Chloride and Quinine at a cost of

Special Expenditure. Cookers and Uten- to increase on account of the war, Force, Pay and Allowances on Mobiliza- contract was increased as from January out for private firms.

No provision was made in the Estimates for Pay and Allowances on mobilization. The sum now applied for is to cover till the Special Branch and partly to the the end of 1939 the Pay and Allowances fact that rewards for arms cases are now or less members of the Force at present being paid from this vote instead of from Defence.-Air Raid Precautions;-like the amount provided under this sub-head sonal Emoluments \$30,506. of Halls and Lecturers Fees \$2,000, Owing to the continuance of the in- Police Force:-Telephones \$275.

POWDER

CONTAIN

The increasing demand for Air Raid ther tasue of books. Defence-Air Raid Precautions:-Pur-

Education Department:—Rent \$100. The Vernacular Normal School at Talpo modation to permit of 1st and and year classes having separate classrooms, A The biggest vote is \$120,000 for the suitable flat, situated in the building next estimated. Fire Brigade;-Rent of Public Telephones \$484.

Twelve new telephone lines have been Precautions work. Fire Brigade -- Volunteer Brigade Ex-

Estimates for 1939 will be insufficient. Resumption for the extension of Harbour Department and Air Services. erection of a new building there for denet on this vote due to higher cost of Kowloon-Canton Railway :- Conveyance Allowances \$14. The excess is due to the fact that the

Traffic Manager and Storekeeper was on drawn by the Acting Trame Manager and Storekeeper until January. Kowloon-Canton Rallway:--Special Ex-Bulanteal and Forestry Department:-7, penditure. Sidewalk for Bridge No. 47 The firest prevalence of illicit cutting. The excess over the original estimate

Logal Departments:-Fees to Counsel Defence ... Volunteer Tlefence Corpe'- and Solicitors for Prisoners \$2,000. This application is necessary because of the autions it number of lengthy mur-Owing to the fact that more exercises der trials stready held this year. Capital Magistracy, Kowloon:-Personal Emplu-A supplementary vote is applied for to cover deficit in the above vote through

Department: - Cleansing including all cables \$3,700. Medical When the 1939 Estimates were prepared damaged last year but, owing to the officers and men for gallant conduct, chestra cond. by The Compeser, provision was not included for supplying unfavourable weather conditions, repairs They also give interesting details of 9.05 Studio—Comments on Recent cleansing materials for Scavenging in were not carried out until January this They also give interesting details of 9.05 Studio—Comments on Recent Bince the Extinutes for this year were the New Territories. Extension to the year, It was again damaged in February the fight, the amouthness of the sea Events. framed the Corps strength has increased Mental Hospital, New Infant Welfare and subsequent attempts to effect re- making the detection of submarines, Centre (West), and, Leper Settlement now pairs in March and August were un-i easy. Defence .-- Volunteer Defence Corps:- taken over by the Government Medical successful. As a result of further Teaming Expenses for Nursing Detach- Department.

Medical Department:-Fuel and Light The increased number of patients, the increase in the price of fuel oil and 'The Regiment Sergeant Major is entitled chase locally a fifteen months' supply of

It was considered advisable to purare available and arrangements have been \$23,345.21, as it is possible that it may be made to rent suitable quarters at \$70.50 difficult to obtain medical stores from the Miscellaneous Services:- Government ly reached from a quotation for one The number of draft bills and ordinsample unit for each cooker. Five units ances in the Gazette during the current on with routine work. The cost of diswill be required for each complete cooker, year has been greater than anticipated, Defence.- Hongkong Naval Volunteer and the rate for printing under the new

> Police Foren:-Secret Service \$7,000. Owing mainly to increase of work in Deposit Not Available (Arms Fine Fund) is almost exhausted.

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The sum provided in 1939 Estimates is insufficient to meet expenditure under this head as the introduction of the three shifts system and the extension of the hours for closing mails have resulted in more current being consumed.

On January 21, a telephone was installed at the residence of Officer-int harge Broadcasting on completion of the New Station at Hunghom. The necessati for this additional telephone could not Prisons . Department: Cleansing Sanitary Materials \$1,300.

The cost of Cleansing and Sanitary Materials has proved higher than was Fecs \$350. There have been more executions than were provided for in the 1939 Estimates and application is made for a supple-

Works Public Works Department: -Up- nir. This, they say, always restores keep and running expenses of Motor him; and such is their faith in the Lorries and Cars \$3,000. The amount originally provided this vote has proved inadequate to meet ing tables in the Paris hospitals are His Orchestra. ordinary maintenance and labour charges made so that in an instant they can be owing to greater use of Government cars, clovated with one end in the nir, so Works-Water Works:-Personal Emolu- resembling that of standing on his ments \$15,000.

Two additional temporary clerks were appointed this year in the Waterworks Sub-department. As a result of an interchange of officers in consequence of highest mountain on the face of the Irish Programme. leave arrangements, one engineer, one globe was Mount Everest, in the 2.15 Close down. overseer and one special class clerk are Himaloyas, the height of which above being paid from the Waterworks Head the occun level is 29,000 feet. If more, Public Works Department and Water Works -- Water Works:-- Incidental penses \$300.

is in consequence insufficient to meet ordinary charges. Public Works Recurrent and Water Works .- Public Works (General);-Improvements to Buildings \$3,200. It is considered essential to provide two Air Conditioning Units for Covern- Hercules. meni House.

Wagian Cable Public Works Recurrent and Water

Works.-Public Works (General):--Comattempts, communication was restored on the end of the year. Public Works Recurrent and Water)

Works,-Public Works (General):- Miscollaneous, Maintenance of Praya Walls shoot at the rate they have been main-Scawalls in Hongkong, Kowloon and New

Guyernment dredgers working to capacity. posal is higher this year, than in previous newspaperman on the subject of the years while no dredging has been carried wer, in the course of which he said: son, R. M. Wood, W. D. Folley, J. A. tit for private firms.

"In a word, it is the old struggle of a Summer. A D. Course of the Summer. A D. Course of the Summer. A D. Course of the Summer. and Fans \$5,000. want to the heavy consumption of sub-head has proved insufficient.

eroased demand by the general public Dwing to additional public telephones officer to the Secretariat for Chinese out that Napoleon and the Emperor for A.R.P. lectures and instruction the amount provided under this sub-head and the supplementary provision noted above proved insufficient.

Defence,—Air Raid Precautions:—Public Defence,—Air Raid Precautions:—Public Cations \$1,000.

Owing to additional public telephones officer to the Secretariat for Chinese out that Napoleon and the Ampleton and the Affairs as Labour Officer, Provision has being installed in police officer, the vote Affairs as Labour Officer, Provision has public telephones out that Napoleon and the Napoleon reyance Allowance \$288.

The higher cost of mare lais and con- glove to such a host of enemies. tract and additional cost for extra works now requested have resulted in the total cost of the Government Stores being revised at \$392,125.

Public Works Extraordinary:-Buildings. Hospital Huts for Refugee Camps at North Point, King's Park and Ma Tau Volunteers on Sunday, October 27, In Chung \$27,000.
Chung \$27,000.
Respital Ruts for accommodating the against the C.C.C. commencing at. 11 Chung \$27,000. sick at the Refugee Camps at North Point, | n.m.; meet at . H.K.C.C. at 10.30 a.m. ing Park and Ma Tau Chung, were deleted from the original plans, but owing to the overcrowded state of the Chinese trenitain these huts are now considered to be essential.

Public Works Extraordinary:--Hulldings. Conversion of Public Works Department Garages into offices \$400. Supplementary funds are requested for of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps the purchase and installation of seven Garage at Kowloon-Canton Railway \$7,000. of which had not been included in the man present Hongkong Volunteer Deoriginal estimate.

Public Works Extraordinary:—Buildings Railway cannot accommodate the inProperty Room Building at Kai Tak Aerodrome creased number of vehicles now owned

# Look Through "Telegraph"

### 50 YEARS AGO

The Italian Government has forwarded to the various Powers which signed the Berlin Treaty a declaration informing them that Italy has established a Protectorate over Abyasinia.

.We understand that after the und of cossion. this year the Dockyard Police will be Department:- Executioner's disbanded, and their duty done by

In France, when a patient is underchloroform on the slightest symptom of Hand. mentary vote of \$350 which is expected chloroform on the slightest symptom of to be sufficient for the remainder of the failure of the heart, they turn him nearly unaide down--that is, with his Public Works Department and Water head downward and his heels in the ther Report. efficacy of this method that the operat- the Plane with Ofto Dobrindt and Public Works Department and Water as to bring the patient into a position

It has long been supposed that the recent observations he correctly reportthe Island of Papua, or New Guinea. Variety Programme, Unforeseen expenditure has been most This monster is said to have been disfrom this vote. The unexpended balance covered by Captain A. J. Lawson of London in 1881. According to him the Ballroom Orchestra. new cinimant for the mountain cham-i pleaship is 32,763 feet in height, being Report and Announcements, 1.781 feet higher than Mount Everent. The new giant has been named Mount

### 25 YEARS AGO.

munications. Maintenance of Telephones by various admirals, were issued tonight, and deal mainly with the Heligo-

> salvoes sank an enemy cruiser. If the European nations continue to:

Public Works Recurrent and Water the steel muzzles of the guns and burns Works.-Public Works (General) :- Mis- up their breech locks. Particularly is by Dan Donovan; "The Fleet's Lit F1477. One Foot In The Gutter. Not long ugo Mr. Churchill gave an

Sanitary Department:-Electric Light hundred years ago against Napoleon. The grouping of forces is different; the circumst ness are different; the occa- Hickett and J. D. Hutchinson. electric current in the new Central sion is different; the man, above all, is Market the amount provided under this different—happily." The First Lord sub-head has proved insufficient. Secretariat for Chinese Anairs:—Per- never made a truer statement in his sonal Empluments \$30,500. After the 1939 Estimates were approved it should have been called for; that Affairs because of changes in personnel, set hysterical in their admiration for Secretarial for Chinged Affairs:-Con- the Kaiser; and, even since the war broke out, there have been plenty of A Labour Officer was appointed on individuals hailing from neutral coun-Sevember 14th 1832. He is being given tries who—though not necessarily waged by the insurgent elements, is month. No provision was made in the sympathising with German methods and mubitions-were quiet ready to tell us! Public Works Extraordinary:-Central that one must needs admire the to-day. | Kaiser's pluck in throwing down tho 10 YEARS AGO

### Oct. 25, 1020.

The following will represent the sharp-O. Moor (Capt.), J. E. Richard-

Board and has received the approval of Executive Council. Public Works Extraordinary: -Extension

fence Corps garage at Rowloon Canton by the Corps and an extension of this various aviation companies for additional public Works Extraordinary -- Misoffice accomm nation at Kai Tax cellaneous. Airing Court at the Mental Aerodrome, it is proposed to creet a linepital \$3,720.

Inapital \$3,720.

It is very desirable to provide for the hangar at an estimated cost of \$19,000. Immates of the Mental Hospital an airing

From this outlay it is expected to collect an adequate return by way of rent former fister's Outliers et the old GCH.

Public Works Extraordinary:—Buildings and cost \$3,000. Contingent works Ordinance, 6d. Compensation and Re- which should be carried out at the same sumptions \$30,189.

It is present to resume, for development, a number of agricultural and small building lot to the netther of the Kal Tak Air Port. The intel tost of the scheme is estimated at \$250,000, but it is proposed to proceed in three sections, the first of which can be carried out this year at an estimated cost of \$30,189. The scheme has been recommended by the Town Planning the vote for this item is now exhausted. time include the fencing of a small area

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12.30. Vivian Ellis at the Plane. 'Top Hat." "Streamline." 12.40 Primo Scala's Accordeon

1.0 Local Time Signal and Wea-1.03 Songs by Lestie Hutchinson at

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press. Weather Forecast and Announce-

1.45 Danny Malone (Tenor) in an

G Dance Music.

7.0 Closing local Slock Quotations 7.02 Arthur, Askey, Hildegarde, ed the distinction belongs to a peak in the Hill Billies and Others in a 7.40 Victor Silvester and His

> 8.0 Local Time Signal, Weather 8.03 Mozart—Symphony No. 36 In C Major ("Linz"). Sir Thomas Beecham conducting the Philharmonic Orchestra.

8.35 Studio-"Some Great Pocis" -3: Milton. The third of the series The first despatches from the fleet, of talks by Father Ryan, S.J. 9.0 Orchestral Interlude: May The Wagian submarine cable was land engagement and mention many Song (Elgar) ... New Symphony Or-

9.15 London Relay-The News, 9.30 Some Welsh Songs, Over The H.M.S. Queen Mary has twice at- Stone, The Ash Grove, Ben Morgan ment 5200.

Owing to more members having attendance of patients and the prices for controlled to the prices for the prices fo The Vale of Llangollen, The Stars in Heaven are Bright, and She Must Be Mine...Ben Morgan (Tenor). 9.45 Compositions of Sir Edward

> 10.0 Musical Comedy Selections. 'Viktoria"And"Her"Hussar""(Abra= rm), Light Opera Company with This is due to the corrosive qualities Orchestra; "Fanfare" Selection Deroy Somers Band with Vocat Chorus 10.30 Dance Music. 11.0 Close down,

> > Summers, A. D. Coppin, W. C. Hung, D. R. Kelly, N. A. E. Mackay, C. A. L. 9573.

### 5 YEARS AGO Oct. 25, 1934.

It is learned on the best authority 9580. that American officials consider the it was decided to post a Class I Cadet it should have been necessary to point Japanese naval equality proposals no 9582. more than a veiled programme for exclusive Japanese hegemony in the 9587. The heaviness of the casualties

and the continued guarilla war-fare indicated in lists described as "inecomplete" and published by the press



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Vaulting Ambition

written a book!' Exactly what the Patriarch meant by that is not have had the opportunity of criticisturn with a certain satisfaction to a written, much to the advantage of his opponents.

Hitler's policy would take in his | Europe.. Peace is far from the cern." thoughts of the Fuhrer, and ever has been. His guiding principle, as told in his own words, is that this where one creature feeds on the weaker implies the life of the

stronger. Following this conception. been to swallow any State which is smaller and weaker than his own. He counts it a divine right that Germany should go on expanding him, Hitler will dismiss a subordinate six years. in whatever quarter he considers desirable and feasible. "To-day," he says in "Mein Kampf," "there, are eighty million Germans in his staff officers saying "But . . . Europe. And our foreign policy will be recognised as rightly con- signals. ducted only when, after barely a hundred years, there will be 250 fidence of a sleep-walker." A genmillion Germans living on this eral might sleep-walk into victory Continent, not packed together as the coolies in the factories of another Continent but as tiliers of the

The Reich, in his estimation, will that if he wants a thing hard enough never be secure unless it is in a position to give every descendant press all wills but his own, this may of the German race a piece of work all right, but the Fuhrer is now ground that he can call his own. united will of Britain, France and Germans must never forget that the "most sacred of all rights in this volition. world is man's right to the earth which he wishes to cultivate for himself, and that the holiest of all sacrifices is that of the blood poured out for it."

Nothing is said of the sacred rights of the peasantry who must of necessity be violently dispossessed before the German can step into gered by the following realisations: the holy heritage.

How Hitler is to get rid of the present inhabitants to make room for his consecrated German peasantry has still to be disclosed.

# "For all we have and are"

Rudyard Kipling wrote this in 1914. He could but guess then how true his words would be proved in the next four years. But Kipling's majestic verse is even truer to-day. It is a hymin that ranks with the "Recessional."

FOR all we have and are, For all our children's fate, Stand up and take the war. .The Hun is at the gate! Our world has passed away In wantonness o'erthrown. There is nothing left to-day But steel and fire and stone! Though all we knew depart, The old Commandments stand:-

"In courage keep your heart, In strength lift up your hand." Once more we hear the word That sickened earth of old:-"No, Law except the Sword Unsheathed and uncontrolled."

Once more it knits mankind, Once more the nations go To meet and break and bind A crazed and driven foe.

Comfort, content, delight, The ages' slow-bought gain, They shrivelled in a night. Only ourselves remain

To face the naked days. In silent fortitude, Through perils and dismays Renewed and re-renewed.: Though all we made depart, The old Commandments

stand:-"In patience keep your heart, In strength lift up vour hand."

No easy hope or lies Shall bring us to our goal, But iron sacrifice

Of body, will, and soul. There is but one task for all-One life for each to give; What stands if Freedom fall? Who dies if England live?

IN war, the two things that count are leadership and backing. What is the strength of Germany in these

respects? Hitherto Hitler has wielded supreme power. Unquestioning obedience to his orders is the basis of the Nazi Government. . I have been alone with Hitler and Goring at the height of a 66 H that mine adversary had crisis, and seen the deference which even the second man in

the Reich pays to his chief. It was at the time of the Gerquite clear, except that he might man reoccupation of the Rhineland. War seemed imminent. asked Goring whether Gering the book, adversely. Leaving many would withdraw her that to Biblical experts, one can troops from the French frontier to make way for the occupation of a neutral zone between her book which an adversary has and France by British, Italian, and Swedish troops, as in the Saar during the plebiscite.

The advantage to the Western Hitler for the purpose of sug-motion, the German nation enter on of spirit, and should fight well. But order of the local Party boss, or by gesting that idea. "But don't this conflict with despair in their they have neither the individual in lining the streets for hours as Powers is that they knew before
| Powers is that they knew before| Pay you mentioned it to me souls. That mood bodes them ill at telligence of the French soldier nor Storm-Trooper to provide a popular the stubborn determination and self| recention for a Minister on his way | first " he added approach; "The the very start. Fuhrer might charge me with They are a tough and disciplined hand precisely the course that first," he added earnestly. "The mixing myself up in foreign race. They love their country. To monstrous ambition to subjugate politics, which are not my con-them Hitler-has-hitherto-stood for IN the new kind of "national"

### His Secret

L of power an asset in war? is a world of everlasting struggle, delegation of internal administrative time be grawing at their hearts. authority to the Council of Six, In the past they have rejoiced over German Government will have to headed by Goring, while Hiller has their Fuhrer's successes. But now face a different situation. other and where the death of the gone off to exercise his absolute rule the bill for all these easy triumphs. The skilled workers, key-men, present I do not think they have as Commander-in-Chief.

the first time since he took office, sider the strength of the German the fighters. Their minds were to full on their weary flanks, that will be faced by opposition. No war machine on its human side. formed in pre-Nazi days. They they will feel the strain. longer are his orders sure of the de- First come the young men, who accepted Nazi rule with enthusiasm human life, his doclared aim has sired result. The forces of his ad- will have to do the fighting and main- because it exalted their country, and Government officials, with all their versaries are there to obstruct and thin internal order.

for raising the least objection to his orders. The words "Aber, mein Fuhrer . . ." are enough. This has become an ingrained habit with him. A commander who will not listen to is as sure of disaster as an enginedriver who shuts his eyes to the

Hitler himself has described his method as "advancing with the conagainst primitive savages, but not in

a European war. . Will-power-that is what Hitler declares to be the secret of his successes hitherto. He believes, with all the carnestness of the authors who write books of popular psychology,

he will get it. With the Gestapo at hand to supconfronted for the first time with the Poland-as strong and far more dogged than his own neurasthenic

The dominating power of Germany is not along in finding itself faced with new and formidable conditions over which it has no control. So also is the nation on which it de-

pends to carry out its aims. The German people have awakened with a shock to the discovery that all their complacent calculations have been wrong. If you'could look today into millions of German minds, you would find them secretly stag-"We were wrong in thinking that Britain and France would never

"We were wrong in thinking that the British Dominions would declare themselves neutral: "We were wrong in thinking that

India would rise in rebellion;

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Spain would furnish us with sub- We are born to die for Germany. marine bases;

Soviet Russia to divide her: "\_\_Of course, we know that the Fuhrer is always right, but IS HE?" "corpse-like obedience," as the Ger-

ception of three or four million young hardship. Mentally, they have never tinuous overtime. His cherished men, who may see in war an opport learnt to think for themselves. Like leisure has been reduced by constant He said he would take me to tunity for excitement, glory, and pro- young men everywhere, they are full attendance at political meetings by

Germany and its well-being. They have trusted and admired him. If because there is no one else to stand marching battalions of fine young by prudence to pay attention. TS this extreme concentration by. But doubt, misgiving, and re- men.

GRIN AND BEAR IT

"We were wrong in imagining. Up to the age of 21, they have all that Japan would hold up the started in the Hitler Youth, a wellwhole of the British Fleet in the run organisation in whose camps I have found the boys being systema-"We were wrong in thinking that tically taught to absorb the principle:

The slightly older men have been "We were wrong in believing Storm Troopers, and have done their one job to another at the behest of that Poland would throw in her going into the fighting forces. All the "bonzes"—as they call them—in hand when we fixed it up with going into the fighting forces. have been lectured and propaganded and steeped in the Nazi creed mans themselves call it,

### The Old Men

A war," however, the strength they stand by him at first, it will be of a country does not lie solely in

luctance to pay the terrible price of The industrial organisation of a It has been partly reduced by the his overweening ambition will all the belligerent State is just as important as its armed forces, and here the

has come in-and they don't like it. managers, and organisers of the fac-In this capacity the Fuhrer, for With this background, let us con- tories are all naturally older than now, when the whip of war begins

won triumphs at no cost. Every young German in the ear- Will they be equally enthusiastic comfortable living, sometimes show Nor can a generalissimo command lier twenties has passed through the for it now that it has plunged them signs of cracking. like an autocrat. In peace time, as Nazi training organisations, which into a war not defensive but aggres- Twice it has happened to me that I have been told by those near to have been compulsory for the past sive; a war which, even if successful, I have been sitting with high Ger-

By Lichty

map in German colours, and of which the cost will be crushing? I am convinced that the Germans of 35 upwards have not their hearts

in this struggle. We have no English equivalent for the word Gemutlichkeit, which is so often on German lips. It means quiet and peaceable well-being. It forms the background of the mind of

every German once he has settled down in life. What have the Nazis done for German Gemutlichkeit?

For the past four years, since Goring, one Saturday morning in April 1935 revealed to the world in an interview with myself that Germany was putting her civilian air force on a military basis, the German worker

has been under crescendo strain. He has been shifted about from Berlin. He has had his pay heavily docked for Party subscriptions, while the bonzes, once poor as himself in many cases, built their grand villes and had strings of big Mercedes cars. I am convinced that, with the ex- Physically they are inured to He has had to work almost con-

to make a speech.

Even when he gets a free eventing at his favourite Bierstube, it is likely ..to\_be\_interrupted.by\_a:long\_broadcast oration from Dr. Goebbels or some other purveyor of pompous political platitudes, to which he is compelled

### Weary Officials

THESE people have borne it all with the patience of an overworked, underfed horse. Up to the even resented it very much. It is

Nor they alone. Even the Naz amenities of prestige, authority, and

could only paint some more of the man executives at times of crisis, like the sudden swoop on Prague Inst year, and the seizure of Memel that followed it—sitting quietly over bottle of wine in the evening—and my companion has suddenly exclaimed, like a man who must tell someone and did not dare to confide in his own people: "I can't go on like this. I've not had a decent night's sleep for weeks. I'm kept always on the run. I must have a rest." That pressure will now be multi-

plied tenfold. Men whose nerves are worn revert to type. Artificially formed habits of mind fall away. Their hidden instincts come to the surface.

The fundamental inclination o very many German workers is towards Communism.

I do not expect anything to happen until the hardships of war have broken the superficial crust of German solidarity, but it was perhaps significant that as Hitler drove away from the Chancellery to assume command on the Eastern Front, four of his bodyguard were standing on the running-boards of his car. I have seen Hitler moving about Germany scores of times, but nover before has he needed such protec-

### Faithful Fan Wins Mercy

A rabid baseball fan escaped a fine or jail sentence for drunkenness when an understanding judge heard' his case. The fan, arrested for drunkenness while en route to watch: the seventh-place Columbia team play, was released when his attorney asked the judge: "What else can you expect of a man watching that team play this season?"



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The British members of the crew

High Handed Action

opinion. The seizure is bound to

have strong repercussions on the

The journal reports that Senator

Byrnes, one of the Administration's

leading fighters for repeal of the

arms embargo, said that on first sight

high-handed proceeding for which

an explanation would undoubtedly

No Soviet Statement

The Soviet authorities decline to

reveal additional details regarding

the City of Flint. It is still not

known what has become of the United

States crew or how the Soviet au-

thorities intend to dispose of the

The Soviet Press emphasizes that

doubt that the ship will be released

as soon as arrangements are made

It is expected that a representative

Moscow, Oct. 24.

neutrality debate.

be demanded."-Reuter.

Referring to the reported seizure

New York, Oct. 24.

# NEWS PAGE

### Fear of Japan Ridiculous

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP). -Senators Clark, Downey and Josh Lee sharply debated the possibility of invasion of the United States or the Western Hemisphere. ....

Sonator Clark declared that the apprehensiveness of a Japanese invasion was the most ridiculous proposition ever advanced. He said the United States would need a three-to-one naval preponderance over Japan to launch a successful attack against the Japanese in their waters. Japan would need a similar preponderance for an attack in United States waters. In neither case was such an

and naval construction. Senator Lee, on behalf of the Administration, declared that on calculations based on the World War and naval experience, the oceans were much narrower and a loss impassable barrier now that acroplane developments have seederated communications and transportation.

attack possible under the present

conditions of national finance

### Finland-Russia

# Feeling Of Optimism Prevails

Helsingfors, Oct. 23. the regular press conference at the Breign Office was postponed from 7 /10 p.m., to-night.

rmation is expected from Moscow. irticularly since the postponement pincides with 11 p.m., Moscow time, then the news is generally given out There is a general feeling of ptimism but precautionary measures vill continue. The enty official statement issued.

said: "We remain calm."-United Press.

### Delegate Returning ≀Helsink!, Oct. 24.

M. Pansakivi is returning from Moseow to-night for new instruc-This confirms the lack of substan-

tiation of rumours in official circles that a pact has been signed. Finland has a non-aggression pact with Russin and has repeatedly stated that she will not sign a military alliance.—United Press.

New Written Proposals Moscow, Oct. 24. Some members of the Finnish delegation returning to Helsinki for further instructions are understood to be carrying new written Soviet proposals.

The talks last night continued up to 3 nm. Neither side would comment thereon, but only the heads of the delegations attended the meeting. -Reuter Bulletin.

### More Hopeful Outlook Helsinki, Oct. 24.

cow talks is taken here following the has been made.

confidently-expected and the tension in an interview yesterday. noted over the week-end has noticeably declined.

evidence of Nordle solidarity and the pointed manner in which the Finnish delegates were greeted on arrival in some misapprehensions. Moscow by the various Scandingvian statesmen.

It is stated in Moscow that a special Finnish messenger is leaving for Helsinki to-night for fresh instructions,—Reuter.

### Soviet Envoy Recalled Moscow, Oct. 24

The Soviet Minister in Stockholm has been ordered to return to Moscow.—Reuter Bulletin.

### Estonia Occupation Berlin, Oct. 24.

Soviet troops have occupied all the districts on the Estonian mainland in Pact. Troops are still arriving on the laland of Oesel-Reuter.

### Soviet Disappointment

Copenhagen, Oct. 24. According to a Moscow message, ed with the Estonian port of Balliski which, according to the archives, contained a magnificently fortified harbour, but upon arrival the Russians found a second-rate fishing port with a sandy beach and a half-finished

Soviet troops are still marching into Estonia. They sleep in tents despite the intense cold. Reuter,

### Handing Over Vilna

to-morrow.

# GERMANS GIVE HOPE EARLY

# Reich Foreign Minister To Warn The People

Amsterdam, Oct. 24.

Herr von Ribbentrop will try to persuade the German people to abandon any hope of early peace when he speaks at Danzig to-night, according to the Berlin correspondent of Handelsblad.

The Wilhelmstrasse is described as attaching great significance to the speech, but it is regarded as more for home than foreign consumption. Otherwise it is suggested that Hitler would have preferred to speak .--

### No Favourable News

London, Oct. 24. The silence in Berlin both regarding Hitler's private appeal to Stalin and the conference of Nazl leaders is interpreted in neutral countries as meaning that Hitler has heard nothing pleasant from either source. according to competent observers. According to reports reaching Amsterdam from Berlin, the Nazi leaders have drawn attention to the growth of monarchist feelings in the corps of army officers, increase of Communist tendencies among the working class, distress of the population owing to the prolonged poor food, and clothing and the closing of factories due to the lack of raw materials, and the rising resentment of the Roman Catholies, numbering nearly half of the population, at the inroads of Communism from the

Hitler has ordered the complete: dissolution of the Roman Catholic Church before the end of the year and the formation of the Reich National Church in which Hitler will It is understood that important in- be the highest official replacing the Papal authority.—Reuter.

### No New Peace Offer

Berlin, Oct. 24. Information made available to the called for reports to Hitler. It is lied. reiterated that Germany is not planning a new peace offensive.

After the rejection of the German peace offer by Mr. Chamberlain the German viewpoint was finally settled and Germany sees no reason to make new peace proposals.

It is, also denied that Herr von Ribbentrop had any special conferences with Hitler in anticipation of his Danzig speech.-United Press.

# Many Blood Donors

### Older Group Of British Subjects Volunteers

"Almost every one of the older group of British subjects called up under the Compulsory Service Ordinance have volunteered as donors A more hopeful view of the Mos- in connection with the blood transfusion service which is being orannouncement that "normal progress" | ganised by the Government Medical Authorities," stated Dr. P. S. Selwyn-An early settlement is new fairly Clarke, Director of Medical Services.

In stating, however, that many more donors are needed in order to Moscow observers say that the allow a safe margin of blood that Russians have been impressed by the | might be needed in the event of an emergency arising in this Colony, Dr. Selwyn-Clarke drew attention to

"The idea appears to be prevalent! envoys was not lost upon Soviet that a donor would take two days that up to December he was employto recover after giving his blood ed in the Capitol Ballroom. He had for transfusion," said Dr. Selwyn-; maintained good relations with Torr Clarke, "I cannot emphasise too since. Three days before Remedies strongly that this is not the case, was arrested. Torr spoke to him and Donors are carefully chosen and only asked him to tell "Chico" not to ask those in good health are accepted.

"After they have given their blood, sisted, continued Torr, he would sue it is usual to suggest that they should him for damaging his car. Witness rest on a sofa or in a comfortable delivered the mesonge to Remedios chair for half an hour; then have the following night. some refreshment (tea, coffee, cocoa, ovalune or milk and some sandwiches) and then proceed on their mad and replied, Let him sue me. normal business." Dr. Selwyn-Clorke emphasised that

this point should be remembered and formerly frequently the Capital accordance with the Soviet-Estonian pointed out that owing to the gravity nightly. In May, 1938, Torr offered of the international situation in him a job. Europe, a Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service had been started ed if I knew he was a 'big shot' and

### BRITISH ASSURANCE

### Neutrality of Thailand To Be Fully Respected:

The Ministry of Information states that the Thal Government has for Copenhagen, Oct. 24. some weeks been showing a certain in After the hitch of a week ago, the nervousness as to the ----ibility of THE prefix "Special to the Tele-Lithuanian army has been ordered to a violation of its neutrality by the graph" is used by the "Hongkong begin occupation of Vilna territory, belligerent Powers. This nervous- Tolegraph" to indicate news which They are expected to reach the city ness appears to have been deliber- is strictly copyright under the proately fostered by outside elements. Visions of the Telecommunications Military negotiations between The British Minister at Bangkok Ordinance, 1936. Such news as bears large body of correspondents now Messrs. W. Tong, J. W. Clague, W. Lithuania and Russia continue and it has accordingly been instructed to the indication "UP" is received in with the forces will have all facilities. is expected that the first Soviet assure Thailand that so long as its Houskong on the date of publication. garrisons will be established in a neutrality is respected by other by the United Press Associations, who "We never wander near sensation- Denison, R. A. E. Denton, B. T. number of Lithuanian towns next Powers it will be completely res- reserve all rights and forbid re- alism but are most anxious seekers Flannagan, U Sze-wing, A. Nissim week—Reuter, after truth, he adds—Reuter. and Capt. Thursby.

### "Big Shot" Court Witness Relates Man's Claim

Evidence that Howard Allen Torr had claimed to be "a big shot" and against Francisco Xavier (Chico), flying the German flag. dos Remedios, 41, cabaret manager, was continued. Remedies was alparked outside his house, in Happy contraband.

room, West Point, alleged that commission amounting to several thousands of dollars was owing to him, when he was dismissed from his employment at the end of May year. He denied having damaged Torr's car, although he admitted he had called at Torr's flat on the night of the alleged incident.

Hon. Mr. Leo d'Almada, instructed by Mr. H. A. de B. Botelho, appeared for Torr, and Mr. M. A. do Silva represented Remedios. Sub-Insp. Darkin was present for the Police.

Remedios was further crossexamined by Mr. d'Almada yester-Press contains denials of the reports | day. He declared the case against that Count von Schulenbeig and him had been fabricated by Torr, Herr von Mackensen would be re- and that most of his witnesses had

Mr. d'Almada: I suggest that you and your friends were so annoyed at not being able to gain access to Torr's flat that when you came across the car you thought it was a good thing to do some damage to it?—No. | band.

Mrs. Lau Yuen-ling, a neighbour coming down the stairs, go into the gen,-United Press. street and walk away, was crossexamined yesterday. She said she knew Nelson Lee, an interpreter in Mr. Silva's office. He was her rent' collector. About three weeks after the incident, Lee spoke to her and was asked to go to Court and give evidence, but she refused. Subsequently, a subpoena was received. At the time, she did not know Lee was employed by Mr. Silva.

### Wakened at Night

On the night of July 30-31, she was awakened by the noise of people going upstairs, and heard someone calling loudly for admittance and ratiling a door knob. The voice also threatened to break the door down but she heard no sound of thumping.

Mrs. Lau denied she had been informed, since the last hearing, of what happened on the landing. She had no particular reason to favour Remedios or give false evidence against Torr. If the car had been damaged, she would have seen it.

Lau Pak-kit, allas Patchlol, said for his commission. If he per-

"Chico," said Lau, "became very I haven't damaged his car'." Chan - Kwok-cheung said he

"He took me into a room and askin Edinburgh, Glasgow, Dundee and in Chinese Government official," said Aberdeen and an urgent call made to Chan. "He also asked if I knew enlist 25,000 volunteer donors. A Charlie of the Majestic Ballroom, the Russians are bitterly disappoint- similar service had existed in the adding that Charlie was a spy. He reminded me that I was a Chinese, and asked me to do something for him. I asked him what he wanted, but he appeared reluctant to say, cause in the first place publicity is Clara valley with its famous Unihinting that I must first swear, among the forms of armaments in versity into San Francisco.

ber 17. Mr. Silva intimated there was a possibility of Remedios leaving, into position, secrecy is indispensable; ed to make these trains the luxurious the Colony on business.

TOKYO, Oct. 24 (Domei).—Following the Cabinet meeting this morning, the Government has announced that the Yen will hereafter be linked with American Dollar instead of with pound Steri-

The Finance Ministry says that the decision is entirely due to economic factors and is not designed to change Japan's commercial

Japanese Yen has hitherto been linked with Sterling at the rate of In. 2d. Britain is now steadily strengthening the control of foreign exchanges in precaution against a protracted war and consequently the Japanese Government has decided to link Yen with American dollar with a view to facilitating the operation of Japanese funds abroad.

The basis of the exchange rate between Yen and Dollar will be sought in the latest quotations and fixed at 23% dollars per Yen

### American Ship Held

HONGKONG TELEGGRAPH

# Germans BV

The Tass News Agency reports rowed ashore in the City of Flint's from Murmansk, that the City of boats. It is said that no American Flint (4,063 tons) has been captured members of the crew were seen. by a German cruiser. United Press.

The U.S. Maritime Commission's a Chinese Government official was steamer was captured at sea. A given before Mr. Ferrest at Central German crew of 18 was placed Magistracy yesterday, when the hear-, aboard by the German cruiser, and ing of a charge of malicious damage they brought the ship into Murmansk of the City of Flint, the Herald Tribune says the general feeling in Wachington is that Germany, even

The Germans claim that the City if she has followed the rules of war, leged to have damaged Torr's car of Flint's cargo, consisting of tractors, made a psychological blunder which to the extent of \$416.50, when it was grain, fruit, leather and wax was is bound to alienate American public

Tass adds that the Soviet authori-Remedies, who was formerly em- ties have detained the American ployed by Torr in the Capitol Ball- vessel and have interned the German

It will be recalled that the City of Flint rescued many survivors from the seizure appears to be a "most the Athenia,-United Press.

### On Way To America

New York, Oct. 23. The City of Flint salled from New York on October 3 en route to Manchester, Liverpool, Dublin Glasgow, It was believed that the ship had already left on the return trip.-United Presi.

### Halted By Emden

Oslo, Oct. 24. The City of Flint was halted by The United States Embassy has not the German warship Emden 24 been informed of the ship's arrival hours after the selzed vessel had at Murmansk and learned of this only picked up 38 members of the crew from Moscow papers this morning: of the British steamer Stonegate, The Embassy is now making an which was sunk in the North Atlan- ellort to ascertain details, but it is tic by a German U-boat on October | doubtful if any official steps can be

taken to-day since this is a Soviet Officers of the Emden declare that holiday and all the Commissariats the City of Flint's eargo was contra- are closed.

They put a prize crew abourd the the City of Flint is detained only of Torr, who had previously said she vessel at Tromsoe, where the British temporarily. In view of the Soviet saw several men, including Remedies, crew were landed and sent to Ber- emphasis of their country's neutrality. United States circles have 'no

### Within Her Rights

with the United States authorities. Princeton, Oct. 24. Mr. Edward S. Corwin, Professor of the United States Legation will of Jurisprudence at Princeton Uni- proceed to Murmansk soon to insure -versity,-holds-that-Germany is-with- full-protection-of-United-States in asked if she knew anything about it. in her rights under international law terests.—United Press, She told him what she knew and in seizing the City of Flint if the ship carried contraband.

As the Maritime Commission has stated, he said, one of the most interesting developments as a result of the seizure and taking the vessel to a Russian port is that it will clarify Russia's real relations with Germany.

A point at issue is the taking of the vessel to the supposedly neutral port of Murmansk.-United Press.

### Flying Germany Flag

Copenhagen, Oct. 24. Tromsoe harbour officials confirm by telephone that the City of Flint on Saturday was in charge of a German prize crew and lay in the outside roads from four to six hours, after which Norwegian ships from the naval base at Tromsoe escorted the ship to the three-mile limit.

It is stated that prize ships are allowed to remain 24 hours outside neutral harbours. ' The City of Flint flew the Ger-

### BRITISH WAR NEWS

### Will Be More Prolific In The Future

London, Oct. 24. British operations is conveyed in a gaiety. Passing luscious orange letter to The Times from Major- groves, the trains speed into the General J. H. Beith, Director of mountains where on each side is Public Relations at the War Office, outspread nature's beauty and answering criticism that German grandeur in its utmost profusion. news and photographs preponderated Finally, through oak-studded hills it in American publications.

which the aggressor has an initial Hearing was adjourned to Novem- and temporary advantage; second, while the British are moving forces tremendous effort that has contributthird, Hitler's precocious campaign in | and comfortable things they are. Poland gave great opportunities for sensational reporting, some of which has done the Allied cause no harm despite Dr. Goebbels' claims; fourth, Hitler does not mind telling lies, but in the chair and the following

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# Trains

Rotarians See Picture Of Famous "Daylights"

"Southern Pacific Streamliners" was the title of a film on railway travel in the United States shown by Mr. T. B. Wilson to Rotarians at the weekly tiffin meeting yesterday.

Streamlined trains, known "Daylights," which leave each morning from San Francisco and Los Angeles, hold the world record for the number of passengers, carried. With their articulated cars, tightlock couplings and revolving seats enabling passengers to gain a continuous view of the scenery minus neck-strain, they are the last word in comfort and luxury and afford a striking contrast to the crude coaches of a few years ago.

The picture showed a journey in "Daylight" from Los Angeles to San Francisco-one of the world's most scenic trips. Soon after leaving Los Angeles comes the foaming foreshore of the Pacific, stretching for 100 miles. A rare sight here are oil wells rising out of the sea. Then on to Santa Barbara, a hillside city The assurance of more news of the of spreading palms and Spanish passes along from Paso Robles to Monterey, Santa Cruz and then "That is inevitable," he says, "be- northward through the rich Santa

The picture is a revalation of the Rotarian Brown proposed a vote of hanks to Mr. Wilson.

Dr. Arthur Woo, President, was visitors and guests were introduced. General Beith explains that the -Mr. Edward Fung (Nanking). Gray, Messrs. B. H. Smith, W. E.



# KEEPING GAMES

Boxing Challenge

Accepted

officers, and provided arrange-

ments can be made with the

Hongkong Boxing Association,

the recent boxing challenge

issued by Len Collins, former.

Amateur Boxing Champion of

by F. K. Jacobs, R.A.M.C.,

Are there any sporting pro-

would do much for the revival

Colony in regard to boxing

facilities. There is material

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SON, of Bournemouth, 21-years-

on the Club ground at 5.15 p.m.

one of the men on the ouskirts im-

an hour.

of boxing in Hongkong?

here-why not use it?

Military Hospital.

### Cancel Hockey Australians League: Tests Discuss 1941

(By "Tinker")

THE DECISION of the Shanghai Hockey Association to suspend their men's league for this season comes as: a surprise to Hongkong, where every effort is being made to continue sport despite the troubles which surround us. It is true that the motion was carried by only eight votes to six, which indicates an even division of opinion, but it is hard to believe that the sole basis for .. suspending the activity."

IT hardly conforms to the express request from Home, that the Colonies can best do their "bit" by continuing normally. The hundreds eager to return Home have been told that they must remain—for the time being, at least,-and so the discontinuance of normal sports functions tends to destroy morale to un appreciable extent rather than 'achieve its object as a genuine

gesture of sympathy. Fortunately, only one branch of sport-men's hockey-has taken this step. The women are prosecuting their activities to their atmost. It cricket, football, rugby and the remainder of the games followed suit. a programme of only friendly fixtures could never hope to sustain the interest which is incorporated in the leagues, and what a comparatively dismal sports future i

IT is a pity, that, as intimated I in the Shanghal newspapers a little while ago, the United States Marines are unable to make the rugby trip to the Colony, There was, unfortunately, some sort. of mix-up last year. The Marines were ready to come down at the same time or immediately following the interport match with the Shanghal R.U.F.C., but Hongkong had received no word that that was the case-apart from what had been printed in the newspapers, and that could not be considered official. There was no slight intended.

The incident recalls the tennis interport invitation from Shanghai a l years ago. Three letters. think there were, were sent to Post Office box which was no longer and there they lay for weeks before being discovered. In the meantime, Shang- Star to "D" Class. hal were convinced to Hongkong's uncouthness, and did not hesitate to say so. However, letters of explanation smoothed the matter out.

AND what has been the effect of It the war on other parts of the British Empire? The Australians ure actually discussing the next-Testcricket series for 1940! India is hoping for an M.C.C. visit in 1941. Canada, until very recently, was still continuing their drive for funds for record - breaking team, scored play takes more weight off you than land, herself, league football and reached John o' Groats, having play. At match, you can relax. rugby has been reorganised and games are still going on.

What was that you said about minutes, with only three hours It is cheering to encounter such optimism. The Australian Board of Cricket Control met recently to discuss the pros and cons of limiting Test play to thirty hours. They evidently have no doubts that an England side will visit them!

They have not, apparently, forgotten the time-limitless Final Test at the Oval last year. For years they have been staunch supporters of such matches, while England was Rugby stuck to hers about limits. That last Test at the Oval, and the final Test between England and South Africa last year brought out the defects of limitless Tests, and the Aussies are now prepared to consider a revision of opinion.

Heigh-ho . . . I'm sure sometime or other someone said or wrote something about a war.

Tho you remember that story about U the last war? The crowd collected around the owner of the newspaper, anxiously

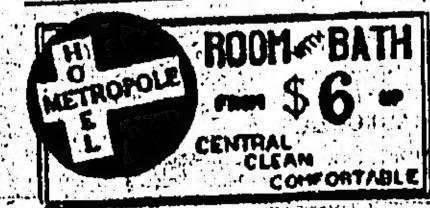
### SPORT ADVTS

### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Tenth Extra Race, Meeting to be held on Saturday, 4th November, 1939, (Weather) permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; The Club House, Happy Valley: The Hong Kong Club; The Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 26th October, 1939. By Order,

C. R. BROWN. Secretary.



# TALK

Wednesday,

### Around Hagen With And Nelson

Cleveland, O., Oct. 2. the professional golfers talk about between birdies and eagles while striding down a sun-washed fairway? Why, they talk about golf

Golf gab came in for an old fashioned chin lathering when, the National Open Champion, Byron Nelson, and Walter Hagen, one of the greatest and most colourful golfers in history, got together for an exhibition at Ridewood Country. Provided permission can be obtained from his superior | Club here.

The Haig stepped up to the first tee for the opening drive of the match and rapped one smartly down the fairway 250 yards. He turned

to Nelson. "That's, the best shot I've had al

### London, through the Hongkong | atternoon." HINTS FOR ALL

Telegraph has been accepted THE two golfing greats ambled L through 18 holes of play meanwhile dropping putts and handy moters willing to arrange this hints alike for Mr. Average Golfer, "My biggest weakness is in my match, which should not only [[" be worth watching, but which | pivot," said the open champion. haven't got one. But I'll get one some day."

"We clubmakers have got to start Shanghai, Manila and Singa- designing on iron for the 82-and-uppore are streets ahead of the golfer," said Hagen.

### CATERING TO CROWDS

NIELSON missed an easy approach IN shot and Hagen said to him, "Do

Hongkong Jockey Club to the Pony in 37 holes in that tournament

"When Henry Pleard re-designed China Ponies.—Rose Emily and his game to use the interlocking grip, Rose Evelyn to "B" Class; Clowner, about 14 months ago, he had to begin from the first fundamentals and start all over," Nelson sald. "Everything had to be changed—backswing. stance pivot, and downstroke-but game he did it perfectly. He was distributed the distributed should some of the local the best iron player in the world two years ago. He is the best iron player in the world to-day. I know. He beat me.

WORRY OF MEDAL PLAY

66T LOST 12 pounds winning the Lopen." added Nelson, "Medal old member of the Hercules the Olympic Games, while in Eng- her greatest triumph when she match. You worry more at medal accomplished the remarkable didn't lose weight in the P.G.A. feat of riding the 870 miles from was down to raw bone before

Land's End in 2 days 22 hours 52 started." Hagen explained his delay arriving at the golf course. "The doctor found my temperature Miss Wilson bents the record set at 105.2 last night and told me that

Mrs. Lilian Dredge, of I shouldn't play golf or travel. 1 Uxbridge, by no less than 22 hours didn't think I could make it this 3 minutes. Her average speed, in- morning. But I knew that if cluding all stops, was over 12 miles didn't show up, people would say that something else was wrong. figured to come down and if couldn't play, I'd at least make an appearance and alopogise. I felt so much better on the way I decided to

"My chief trouble," said Nelson as he lined up a putt, "is too much 'inside-out' in my swing. But when The following have been selected I feel that clubhead doing that I to represent Club A against the Police know I'm right.

### PHILOSOPHIC GOLF

M. G. Carruthers; D. B. Nelson, J. C. 66W IFE is just hitting the ball,"
Eager, D. H. Hamilton, F. M. Thompson;

man and has a natural advantage awaiting the news. After several in golf," Nelson mused. "She can minutes, during which the reader develop a nicer short game and she was carefully scanning the columns, swings the club instead of slugging." ing hills of the golf course. Said an unidentified man lurking patiently asked: "Well. What's the

in the crowd: "Yd like to give those guys "Naht so good. . . Surrey all



The victorious "D" team which best "B" in the Stubbe Cup Pole competition at Boundary Street on Monday. Left to right W. A. C. Morgan, B. T. C. Forrest, T. W. Chatley and R. A. M. Hennessy.-Staff



The "E" team which beat "C" in the Stubbs Cup Polo competition on Monday. Left to right: F. S. Hancock, J. A. Holdsworth, R. J. L. Penfold and, R. Gilbertson,—Staff Photographer.

# LEAGUE HOCKEY

# Surprising Decision Made At Annual Meeting

PY a narrow majority of eight votes to six, states the Shanghai Times, it was decided to abandon the annual Men's Hockey League for the coming season, this decision being reached at the Annual General Meeting of the Shanghai Hockey Association held at the Shanghai Cricket Club on October 18. This was undoubtedly the most farreaching resolution made at the meeting and will affect the numerous teams who will be taking an active part in

the approaching season. A prolonged discussion took place to examine the pros and cons of continuing the league under the present disturbed conditions, a ballot was finally taken with the

above result.

year's play could be among 18 likewise discontinue league play exhibition. The crowd would rather teams, the same strength which under present conditions. see you in trouble than see you get participated in the league last

will be issued in the near future, pension of competitive play. He was with regret that owing to the Eurowith regret that owing to the Euro- Pate. pean hostilities, the German Hockey Club has deemed it advisable to with-S. H. A. and be transferred to an

# Unable To Come

The United States Marines in Shanghal will be unable to send their rugby team to Hongkong next month, according to a letter received by the Hongkong Football Club from Col. J. C. Fegan, Commander of the Marines.

Col. Fegan says the Marines have been working diligently and enthusiastically, but owing to the European crisis and the recent China situation their programme will be limited to a "hit-or-miss schedule." The Regiment is unable to

spare the 25 men comprising the rugby, squad, and its Col. Fegan's opinion, it is possible that the rugger side will be disbanded soon,

The Hongkong Football Club have been requested to shelve the invitation for the moment Col. Fegan concludes with the remarks that he shares Hongkong's disappointment in mot being able to send a team south, a project he had been looking forward to for several seasons.

A. H. R. Butcher (Captain), R. Rutherford;
E. W. Stout, K. W. Salter, P. R. Wanklyn.
R. M. M. King, B. Hynes; W. B. Richardship. The latter proposal was accepted by the club representatives present.

FINE General Meeting was pre-L ceded by an Extraordinary General Meeting which was convened for the purpose of considering proposed alterations; and additions to the Laws of the Association and the Hockey League.

The proposal was quashed, however; when J. S. Kenyon, a member of the Council, proposed that adoption of the draft of new rules be deferred until later when more time had been spent in drafting them. The motion was carried unanimously. NEW OFFICERS

IN the new election of officers, the following were elected to serve for the ensuing year:-President:-J. P. Jones. Vice-Presidents:-Capt. J. R. Cole

Member of the Council:-II. Honorary Secretary:-W. J. Blivey. Crickmer. Honorary Treasurer: G. F. Mant. Owing to the lack of other nominations, it was decided to let the new Committee co-opt the three other members necessary for the full

VOTE AGAINST LEAGUE

and K. M. Pate."

THE major portion of the meeting Ithen revolved on the point of whether a league will be held this year! W. G. Clarke, Into President, of the Association, opened for the opposition with the statement that he, personally, was not in favour of carrying on with a league, citing the

THERE is no lacking in en-example that big leagues in England thusiasm, however, as this was his opinion that Shanghai should VOTE IN FAVOUR

see you in trouple man see you get participated in the league, how- birdle. It makes the average season. Without a league, how- player happier."

Nelson pendered awhile, but it was for two more available army dent, pointed out that the Shanghal army dent. Nelson pondered awhile, but it was for two more available army Football Association had not found the P.G.A. tournament that was on for two more available army Football Association had not found additions have been made by the Henry Picard defeated Nelson one up now be featured in friendly Football League. He remarked that Hongkong Jockey Club to the Pony Picard defeated Nelson one up now be featured in friendly Football League. He remarked that matches, the schedule for which much of the incentive and keenness

It was at this stage that Capt. Cale stated that the uncertain movements draw from Full Membership of the of local British regiments would probably interfere with the smooth work-

H. A. Crickmer suggested that friendly games be given a trial this year, as this system had never been tried out before. . In order that the question might be answered, a ballot was taken.

The result was that six votes were cast in favour of the league, and eight for its abandonment. SUBSCRIPTIONS RAISED THE matter of subscriptions to the

Association was next discussed as it has been found that the ground rent in the Race Course has been raised from \$700 to \$840. W. J. Silvey put forward the plan that, in order to meet this increased expendisubscriptions for each club should be raised to \$60, for a club entering one team in Association friendly fixtures; \$95 for a club entering two teams; and \$125 for a club

entering three teams. These figures compare with the respective dues of \$45, \$80 and \$103 of last season. The new subscription rates were adopted.



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# ARMY OF TO-DAY

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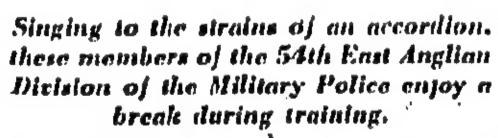




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This Bren gun-carrier crew of the 1st-Hertfordshire Regiment adjusts the caterpillar track of one of the tanks. The men are practical mechanics and do their own running repairs.



Tramp-tramp-tramp. Territorials of the 1st Hertfordshire Regiment, complete in battle dress, and marching in the new "form threes" formation, leave Dibgate camp for night operations. Below, soldiers of the 1st Cambridgeshire line up for dinner





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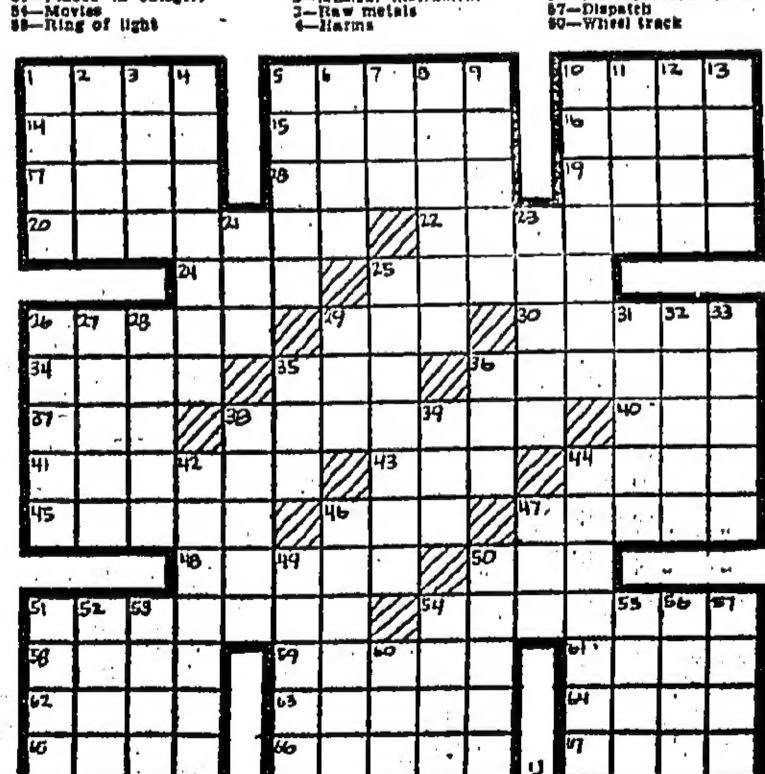
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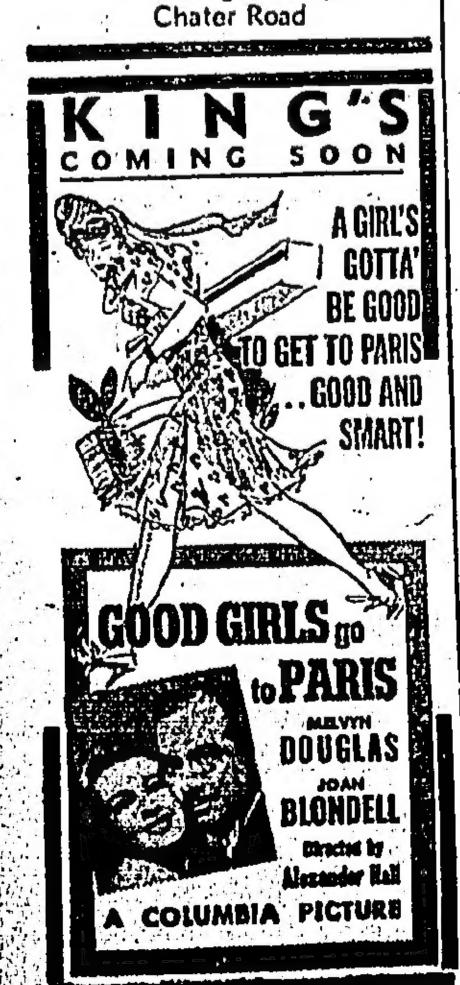
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Of course, you could cut your hair taken you to get it exactly the right length. Think how long it will take a new short bob, baby curls or boyish shingle to grow but again.

Change Colffure The most sensible thing is to keep its present length, but change your colffure so that it can't whip in the wind. Here is a suggestion for a hair-do that is ideal for the girl who wants to look amort and attractive on her vacation and still keep her

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The hair is parted at side or centre -wherever it is most becomingand parted again from ear to ear over the crown of the head. . It is pulled back off the face, with just a trace of a soft wave, and each side section is caught into a tidy braid which is pinned toward the back of

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### Signs Say Hard Winter

a munt mong your necktine, so you the presence of yellow-jackets—signs lunch and discovered a slight earth-needn't lose any sleep trying to keep which have never failed before, he quake had opened the crack two feet them in place.

If you take part in any outdoor more time, you can make partings activities, you are bound to perspive, every inch or so and apply the tonic and hair that has been dampened with a cotton pad. Remove the exwith perspiration a few times has a cess moisture with an absorbent musty, unpleasant odour. towel, brush the hair vigorously, and

tonic and work it through your hair while you are swimming, sunning consume ice cream sodas at their and into your scalp or, if you have and playing.

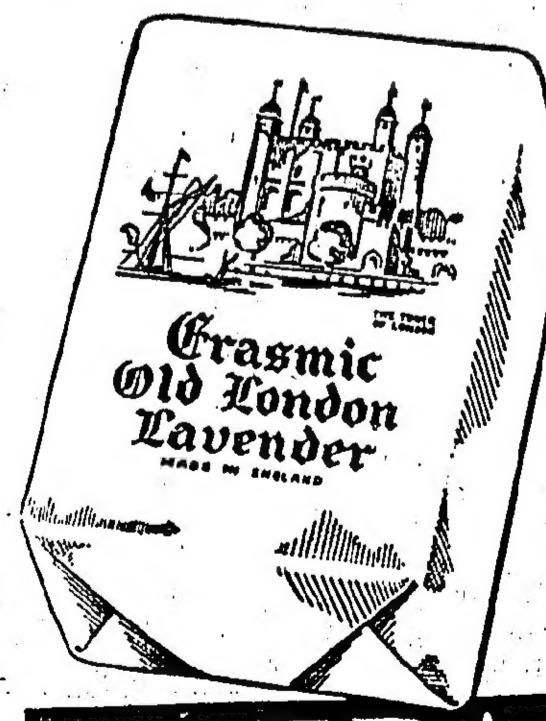
### Quake Troubles Road Crew

The nair at the necktine is in round smooth curls that can be set by brushing over the finger or occasionally set on end curlers. However, the effect of this colffure will not be spoiled if your curls loosen to a dust above that here is a "hard ling all morning to repair a crack winter" ahead. The prediction is near the Aloi Crater, Island of hased on a large group of access and the state of the spoiled on a large group of access and the state of the spoiled on a large group of access and the state of the state of the spoiled on a large group of access and the state of the spoiled on a large group of access and the state of the spoiled on a large group of access and the state of the spoiled of the spoiled on a large group of access and the state of the spoiled on a large group of access and the state of the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled of the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled of the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access and the spoiled on a large group of access a

### Liquor Dealers Prefer Ices

to wash your hair, but do manage to give it a brisk workout with a brush every day, and to saturate your scalp with a good tonic after a salt water with a good tonic after a salt water dip or game of tennis, to cleanse it. You can dip your fingertips in the tonic and work it through your hair will not lose its vibrant sheen tonic and work it through your hair while you are swimming supplied.





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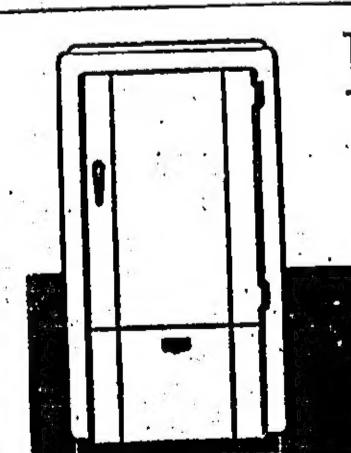
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### NANCY











Premier Mussolini, shown inspecting a gun in Anzio, Italy.

# "Voice Of The Traitor" the ship was sinking. When the explosion

the "Parls Soir" which states that the The German "Freedom" station shead at fast speed. Stuttgart announcer began his nightly which has been silent for several The four espect destro French broadcast with an announce- nights, has started again. Commentment that he intended shortly to read ing on Hitler's speech, the announcer finished a circuit of the ship. They There was no panie. the text of Hitler's speech.

same wavelength saying:
"This is the true Frenchman speaking. Don't listen any longer

to the voice of the traitor of"

ing, another voice broke in on the peace eventually by fighting, not her to the bottom. same wavelength saying: against British and French soldiers, Men stumbled fro "Germany wishes to break the a prolonged war. What Hitler wants What happened there was told by formidable union of Britain and is not peace but a victory of force."

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FIRST PICTURES! ACTUAL WARFARE!

GERMANY'S MARCH INTO POLAND!

Somewhere near Cracow . . . Pictures of one of the many German air fleets on a day's

assignment in the "blitzkrieg" . . . the schedule of lightning war.

Somewhere near Bromberg (Polish Corridor) ... First pictures with the Reich's land army

the Poles.

Newest pictures from Danzig . . . Nazi-fied! The "Free City", which was the focal point

at the start of hostilities, gots increased Gorman garrisons.

The bombardment of Westerplatto Fort at the edge of Danxig. German training ship

"Schloswig-Holstein" in ceascless attack on the fortross, where "suicide battalion" holds

out hearly a week before surrendering.

First pictures from bombed Warsaw, made by Paramount News American Cameramen and

passed by Polish Censor. The Polish Capital shrinking from the terror of acrial

bombardment

in Poland. High-speed tanks and motorized infantry move up for the encirclement of

SPECIAL

When the explosion came, A CURIOUS incident in Europe's beace, but she is violating and will broadcasting war is reported in violate all the treaties signed by her." aircraft carriers, was steaming The ship was rapidly listing to port.

Ourageous, a ship of 22,000 and caved in.

A gunnery officer said everything was in favour of the submarine commander so far as weather condi-

were on the look-out for just such

Men stumbled from below deck as but against him and his criminal the explosion shook the ship, bows. government. Hitler felt compelled to stumbling in the darkness over speak of peace because he knows friends killed by the explosion.

Germans cannot and will not endure

A torpedo hit the boiler-room.

Bushmiller





# Courageous: Last Drama

# Man Dives To Save Swimmers; Boy Smokes As He Waits

CURVIVORS of the Courageous, British aircraft carrier sunk in half an hour by a German submarine, told vivid tales of their ship's last moments when they landed from rescuing destroyers.

A petty officer from a destroyer dived 10 times to rescue exhausted men; an engineer officer raced below while the lower decks were awash, in a desperate effort to trim the ship; a boy seaman smoked a cigarette on deck until the cry, "Every man for himself."

These were among the stories of heroism by officers, men, and boys, told by the survivors —listed at 681 of a complement of 1,260...

There were men who calmly | Stoker B. W. Dellow, of James-street, | reached a float with a number of gave advice to each other with Devonport.

clothing and their heavy money, power went off at once.

Officers stood by giving ways. orders, as if for boat-drill, while DECK CAVED IN

### BY THE EXPLOSION

I went to the flying deck, which was tions were concerned, The four escort destroyers had just crowded with officers and men.

As the announcer anished speak- "Hitler knows we shall achieve a danger as within half an hour sent after swimming a few minutes i efforts to jump clear. turned over to float on my back. Courageous was going down by the killed in their jumps. There were

> with men, many of them in the act had grabbed pieces of floating wood. of jumping overboard. There was "I did see one thing which imone man hanging from the ensign- pressed me, even though I had been pole, still hes tating whether to let in the Service for over a quarter of

> "I saw the captain alone, saluting his flug, as the ship finally, went years-old 'sticks' (drummer boy)

petty officer's feat in saving ten "He dived ten times from the destroyer, swam to men who were exhausted, and held them up unt. they could be got abourd. There was also a young A.B. who went overboard twice to save a couple o.

Stoker Britton said that in complate darkness he and some of his mates groped their way to the top deck. There would be 50 of them in the mess deck, and he did not suppose 12 of them got out. BURNED, HE ASKED

### FIRST ABOUT FRIENDS

Immediately after the submarine attack, one stoker, though smothered in oil and badly burned, thought at first of his comrades.
"What about the lads down be-

low?" he exclaimed. Stoker Andrew Logue, of Glasgow,

shorts and singlet. I was going over the side while the ship was still moving, but some older men who had been in the last war told me to wait a bit and they would tell me

when to jump. "Everybody was perfectly cool and men had got rid of heavy clothing before diving into the sea.

"As the men waited to go over-board they calmly counted their

money, throwing away the coppers and tucking silver and notes into their body belts. BOY OF 15 LED

### SINGING ON RAFT

"While I was swimming, I saw a float with men on her. One of them -ne seemed a kid of about 15shouted 'Come on lads what about a song? and they all began to sing

A -16-years-old, John Desmond Wells, son of a Snaton (Devon widow was in his hammock when the Courngtous was hit. "I believe I was swimming in oil for nearly an hour until I was picked

up by a small boat. "Even when men were awimming they were singing." One of the bonts was sunk in rush of water from the Courageous after going only 'n few yards, an

Exeter boy said. "About 30 men were in her, and they were forced to swim. "Meanwhile, I walted on deck and smoked a cigarette. Then I heard shout 'Every man for himself!' and slipping off my trousers, I wini down the ship's side on a rope and dived into the sea.

"I struck out for about 40 yards and when I looked round I saw the stern of the Courageous go right up in the air, and the ship suddenly olunged.

men on it. Everybody was cheerful

the decks away, their heavy fumes were choking. Light and stroyer came alongside, and she was handled so beautifully that she "We all raced up the companior. hardly disturbed the float. We swarmed up ropes to the destroyer's decks, and soon had some hot rum." SEVERAL MEN DIED

### IN JUMPING FREE

He said: "Owing to the list the

Courageous took a number of men "I dived off the sloping deck, and who were unsuccessful in their "I am sure that a number were

cries of 'stick it' and 'come along "The starboard rail was still lined here from fellows who, like myself, a century.

"I saw a poor frightened little 15standing on the deck evidently not Stoker William Britton, of Church- knowing what to do. Then I saw road. Busby, near 'Glasgow, tells or two min lash him to a raft and throw him overboard. I hope the poor little devil has come through.
"As for myself, I just swam and

swam and swam—for three hours.
"And I shall always remember a Royal Marine Strgeant who stemed to cover an enormous distance swimming from man to man and cheering them with such remarks as, 'Keep going my lad,' 'Keep yourself effoat and you will be all right,' 'Keep your heart and your head up.' COOLNESS MADE IT

### ALL SEEM UNREAL

Leading Telegraphist Edward Collings, of Devonport, curly-haired, 22, told of hundreds of men thronging the starboard side of the ship hoping to correct the list.

"The coolness and the casualness of everyone made the disaster seem unreal. "The licutenant of our station was giving orders as though we were

going to boat drill." Collings was picked up by destroyer after he had been swim-

ming for half an hour. The crowds of women-wives, sweethearts, sisters of the men of Courageous-kept vigil for news of survivors until the early hours of

the morning. During the morning they watched red-tyed while a naval funeral pro-cession filed slowly out of the gates. The dead man whose coffin was borne on a gun-carriage and covered with a Union Jack had been a rating of a destroyer.

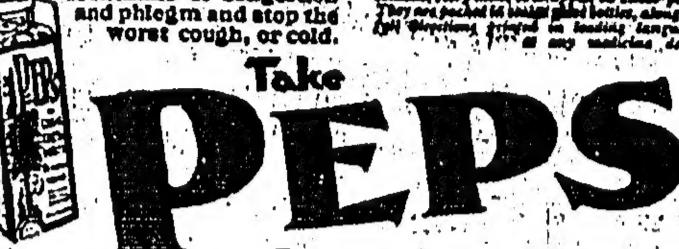
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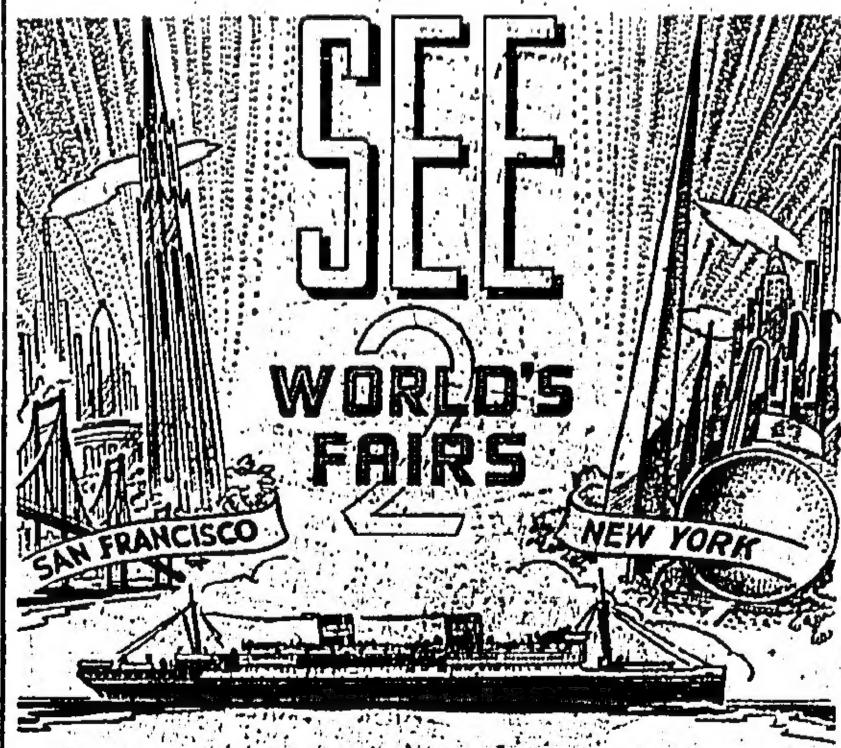
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# Old Legal Ruling

A Hongkong legal ruling established 25 years ago in connection with money loan associations was quoted during the hearing of a claim for 50 in the Summary Court yesterday. before Mr. Justice Lindsell.

The claim was brought by Ip Sze, of d'Aguilar Street, on behalf of the street, and oil other marchers of

nimself and all other members of the Lee Pun Ching Money Loan Association, against Cheung Ngau, of Cochrane Street, and was for \$6, noing the monthly contribution payable by defendant as a drawn mem-

For the plaintiff, Mr. P. M. Hodgson

said the Association was started in ovember by Lee Pun-ching and consisted of himself and 11 other members, including Ip and defendant. Cheung drew his share in February. but, following the death of the head in July, refused to pay his contribution at the August meeting, where plaintiff drew his share. Defendant's ground for refusal to pay was that the head having died, the Association had ceased to exist.

Mr. Hodgson submitted that the fact that the head had either absconded or died was immaterial and, in by the late Mr. Justice Comperts. Defendant, who appeared in per-

son, said one of the rules of the Association stipulated that in the event of the death of a member his are, whether drawn or undrawn. was ended. He contended that this applied equally to the head, and added that the Association automatically ceased to exist when he died. His Lordship pointed out that the rule applied only to the members. "The law," he said, "has been abundantly established by previous cases that, in the absence of any clause to the contrary, the disappearance of the head makes no difference at all. Undrawn members are entitled to claim payment from those who have drawn their shares, and the law in this respect was establish-d 25 years ago."

Judgment was entered for plaintiff, with costs.

# **ENVOY** RECALLED

Tokyo, Oct. 24.

Japanese Mr. Saburo Kurusu, Ambassador to Belgium, transferred to Berlin to succeed Lieut.-General Hiroshi Oshima, who has been recalled home, learned from authoritative sources. Consul-General at Tientsin, will be relieved of his post to become the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs in the Manchukuo Government.

A Berlin message says that the outgoing Ambassador at Berlin, Lieut.-General Hiroshi Oshima, Mr. Shigenori Togoh, Japanese Ambassador at Moscow, and Mr. Saburo Nurusu, Ambassador-designate to Perlin, met in a conference at the

ever-changing situation in Europe: their own building on the site. and America .- Domei.

# For Discussion

The agenda for the meeting of the Legislative Council to-morrow inoffice of Government Marine Surveyer

The first reading of "A Bill to amend the Promissory Onths Ordinance, 1869" will also be presented.

vital needs of the community during from Santiago.-Infernational. war or other public emergency; for the registration of importers of such commodities and for purposes incidental to or connected with the matters 'aforesaid."

LATE NEWS



With gas mask across shoulder and wearing uniform of marshal of Royal Air Force, King George visits a Royal Air Station. Sir Hugh Dowding, commander-in-chief, at right,

# Kowloon

at St. Andrew's Church yesterday. when Miss Taisa Zilgaly, of Jordan Road, became the bride of Mr. Heinrich Leonard Moors, an engineer

at Kowloon Dock. The bride were a wedding gown of sident of the Society, in an inter-white crepe satin, alim fitting, with a view upon his return from Chunghigh neckline and long sleeves, and her white tulle veil was held in place by a small cluster of orange blossoms pinned high on her head. Her bouquet was of white gladioli.

Mr. Th Zilgalv gave his daughter away in marriage, and Dr. C. C. Petrovsky undertook the duties of

Rev. J. R. Higgs officiated and Mr Rupert Baldwin was at the organ. When the couple left for Repulse Bay, where the honeymoon is to be spent, Mrs. Moors wore a white ensemble with a bolero, white broad-Mr. Shigenori Tashiro, Japanese brimmed hat, and white accessories.

### AMERICA-JAPAN Movement Against Christians

German capital on Saturday and Peiping from Sinsiang in north Honan, where it is reported that the Honan, where it is reported that the Japanese envoys, according to Japanese authorities have confiscated with the horrors of bombing by the Berlin dispatch, agreed Japan's the ground belonging to the American missons has reached gent, if one visualises the extensive gent, if one visualises the extensive territory that has to be covered by the Red Cross workers, coupled with the horrors of bombing by policy in Europe should be formulated ican Catholic Mission Society of with the utmost caution to meet the Divine Word and have begun to erect mobile units, Dr. Wang pointed out, and the steep of the steep

General Oshima is leaving Berlin It is stated that the Japanese have lacking or insufficient; medical supon October 28 for Japan via Naples said that they would pay some solation on October 28 for Japan via Naples said that they would pay some solation of the land thus taken, but at News. This, plus the recent incident at Chenliu, Honan, when in the course AGENDA FOR COUNCIL of an anti-British demonstration windows of a Mission house were Threat of German Attack Two New Bills to Come Up broken and an American flag was torn down, and other slight difficulties which are being met by American missions in various parts of North China are leading many to North China.-Reuter.

### American Marines

Bill to provide for the maintenance tional Settlement of Shanghal, a re- Argentine claims.

# NATIONAL RED CROSS

### Need For Additional Mobile Units Stressed

A brief survey of the work of the National Red Cross Society of China was given by Dr. C. T. Wang, pre-

king recently. Dr. Wang mentioned the Medical Relief work now being carried on by the Red Cross Medical Corps, commanded by Dr. Robert K. S. Lim, Director of the Medical Relief Commission. A report from Dr. Lim states 49 ambulances received from Hongkong have recently reached

their destinations in Kwangtung. Kwangsi, and Kweichow, and that a 9th new depot and store for medical supplies has recently been set up near Chungking, in addition to eight such depots and stores already established.

His recent inspection and survey of the various Red Cross Medical Corps in and around Chungking, Dr. Wang said, gave him the impression and belief that medical relief work in war-torn China to-day has actually made marked improvement.

Dr. Wang emphasized that the Shanghal, Oct. 24. organising of additional Mobile Units to travel anywhere is absolutely urcal to American missons has reached gent, if one visualises the extensive

two principal elements are found

### FALKLAND ISLANDS Calls Forth Volunteers

Buenos, Aires, Oct. 24. Colonel R. E. Russell, attache at suppose that the movement which the British Embassy, stated followcludes a motion by the Attorney began as a political and anti-British ing rumours, that German vessels General to change the style of the movement is gradually but surely are planning to raid the Falklands. movement is gradually but surely are planning to raid the Falklands, developing into a Japanese anti- 20 or 30 Englishmen in Buenos Aires to that of Principal Surveyor of Christian mission movement all over have voluntarily joined the Falklands defence forces, but the British Government has in no way assisted their passage to the Falklands.
The nationalist groups have dis-

Second and third readings are:

Shanghai, Oct. 24. tributed a few posters in Buenos "A Bill to amend further the As an indication that the United Aires streets demanding the return Volunteer Ordinance, 1033" and "A States will be firm in the Interna- of the islands in accordance with

of reserve stocks of commodities port is current that more American. An afternoon paper charges that which would be essential for the morines will arrive here shortly German funds were used for finan-'cing the groups.-United Press.

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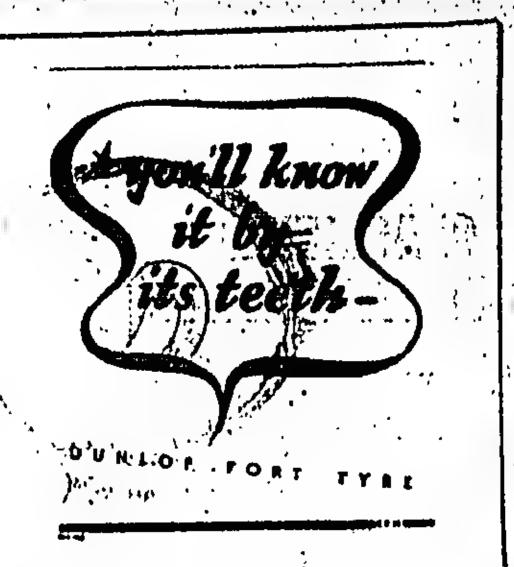
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# WHAT COULD

Hongkong in its public illogical opposition to income

In April, 1937, when new taxation became a possibility of the future, the "Telegraph" ran a questionnaire asking readers to vote for the type of taxation that they would like to see in force if additional taxation ever became necessary.

The final analysis of the letters received showed that 75 per cent, voted in favour of income tax.

Many people then, when income tax was not an imminent possibility, were prepared to make direct financial sacrifices in order to help the Government.

Now that the help is required, however, they seem to be willing to see increased taxation-but not the kind of taxation that would hit their own pockets.

### Conditions Changed

It must be admitted, however, that conditions have changed since the "Telegraph" questionnaire was issued. The ordinary taxpayer today faces great increases in rent and a higher cost of living than was the case in 1937.

Married people have higher Anancial outlays for their children as instanced by, the increase in

really feel about income tax to-day? If you were treasurer of Hong. kong, what would you do? Extra

taxation is inevitable. We can't get away from that fact. Not only must normal social services be maintained but Government must find money for defence and for extraordinary war contributions to the Imperial Government. Every. one will admit the latter obliga-

### More Revenue Wanted

The Government anticipates raising \$15,000,000 in extraordinary taxation this year-\$5,000,000 for the annual budget and \$10,000,000 for the extraordinary wer budget, Here is your opportunity to show

the Government how you would raise this money-before it does what you don't want it to do. Run through the following list of

taxation old and new. In the space given say what you would increase. Then cut out this form and send it in an envelope to the "Hongkong Telegraph", No. 3 Wyndham Street Or send your suggestions on a post-

But keep your letters short. Space is valuable.

Would you institute any of the many." following taxations? (mark with

Income Tax, Business Tax, Sales Tax, Super Tax, Unemployment Would you increase-

Death duties? Entertainment Tax . . . .

Would you add to existing duties on any of these commodities? If so, mark them with a tick-Beer, spirits, wines, tobacco,

cigarettes, perfumes, motor-cars? Would you increase taxation for-Radio licences, drivers licences,

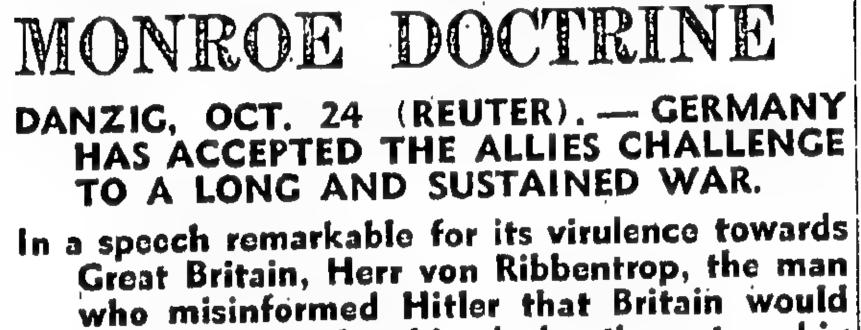
dog licences? of these subjects. Mark with a tick highly suspicious development your choice or choices.

salt, soft drinks. Cosmetics, luxury articles, elec- ment takes place.

tric signs, jewellery, furs, windows,

If you have suggestions better than these state them briefly below. If Europe," he declared.

The word think should be avoided. taxes you think should be avoided. How should Government cut expen--diture? . 🐪 .



not fight, made this declaration at a big demonstration in Danzig last night. "We shall never make peace," declared von

GERMANY AND

THE AMERICAN

Ribbentrop, "until there are guarantees that PUBLICITY attacks on the German people are once and for all excluded."

The war, he declared, was imposed on Germany and Hitler's "magnificent and unrepeatable offer to Poland' (which, incidentally, was neither magnificent nor received by the Polish Government until German troops had marched into the country) forms the subject of another outburst in which Britain is blamed for everything.

Germany would respect the American Monroe director of the Far Eastern How does the Hongkong public Doctrine (which guarantees the territorial integrity claimed that the presence of British Colonies in South work would be to facilitate dis- Information received indicated that the presence of British Colonies in South work would be to facilitate dis- Information received indicated that the Mashan Francisco Chukyuan, Saikong, in a daring raid in the east of America was a breach of the Doctrine.

# Plenty Describe

DANZIG Oct. 24 (Reuter).—In a speech to a big is in charge includes Japan, China, demonstration here to-night, Herr Joachim von Ribbentrop, the Nazi Foreign Minister, stated that Danzig would never again be separated from the Reich.

The speech was broadcast by all German stations and sibilities of starting a pictorial of the City of Flint would lose few magazine such as published by the votes for Embargo in the House. then sent out to the world in many foreign translations.

Referring to what he described as an attempt to make Danzig and the Reich responsible for the present state of war, Herr von Ribbentrop declared: "This war has, in the truest sense of the word, been imposed on Ger-

Herr von Ribbentrop proceeded to deal with the German-Polish negotiations regarding Danzig. He declared: "The astonishing attitude of Poland to Hitler's magnificent and unrepeatable offer seemed remarkable to me. To-day we have the answer to the riddle-England was behind it. "We know to-day that already at that time negotiations for guarantee were on foot with England."

Poland Responsible Herr von Ribbentrop added that the German Government must make

the Polish Government fully respon-Would you impose duties on any sible for those events and for the childless their relations. Referring to the collapse of the

Stock Exchange margin approclations, horse racing, club and now see to it that redistribution BIBBY LINER TRAGEDY other sweeps, cats, tea, petrol, oils, justified by real conditions was carried out and that a real appease-"Now Soviet Russia and the great German Reich guarantee for the

Hitler's efforts towards Anglo-German reconciliation, declared again and again that Britain had adopted an unconciliatory attitude. The names of a number of and that Hitler had only abandoned. The names of a number of



VON RIBBENTROP

# Women And Children

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). against the Western Powers.

### COMPLETE FAILURE OF ATTACKS ON CONVOYS

LONDON. Oct. 24 (Router) .- A special commentary to-day states that German air losses in convoy action have

on's convoy off the Humber on October 21. This was not mentioned by any German wireless.

The fact that the British sustained no losses in the recent engagements seems to show the definite superiority of the British fighting machines.

Gorman mines have sunk two more neutral ships, one Swedish and one Greek.

# IN ORIENT

### Britain's Viewpoint In News And Photos

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" TUKYO, Uct. 25 (Domei).--Mr. H. de Vere Redman, who was recently appointed assistant Bureau of the British Ministry of Information, told reporters matter of force from the beginning to

-The-headquarters-of-the-Far -WASHINGTON, Oct.-24 - (Reuter).

Mr. Redman said that he and Mr. Scott would visit various countries in the For East and establish contacts with local British communities.

The section of which Mr. Redman Thalland, French Indo-China, Netherlands East Indies and Malay States,

### Pictorial Magazine

British Government at the time of the Great Wor." Mr. Redman said. "The fact that relations between

He denied the report as without foundation that £3,000,000 had been deposited in Japan as a fund for

Far East. "When I left England after being appointed to my present position, did so with a feeling that England would not consider, any German proposals for peace. After Herr Hitler's and Mr. Chamberlain's specches, I am more convinced that this will be a very long war."

### German Radio Defends Mr. Churchill

SPECIAL TO THE "ITELEGRAPH" LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter) - Des-"Freedom" station can be heard Board. sharply attacking Dr. Goebbels's At present the German Admiralty tirade against Mr. Winston Churchill. denles any knowledge of the selzure. the Reichstag ablaze. They now be- port of Tromso, but put to sea again "Times."

been entirely ignored in German broadcasts. For instance, five German aircraft were lost in the raid

> SEIZURE OF U.S. LINER

### Mr. Cordell Hull's Statement

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter) .-- More than half the City of Flint's cargo was probably conditional contraband and a small part probably absolute contraband, declared Mr. Cordell Hull, the U.S. Secretary of State, to-day in a lengthy discussion on the seizure of the vessel at a defence units are taking pre-

Press conference. He declined to state what action the Government might take. He said in the direction of prize court proleedings and in this case it was a

### U.S. Wants Explanation

scizure of the City of Flint. Political Comment

### WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (Reuter).

City of Flint, Senator Connally reminded the Senate that shipping restrictions in the proposed Neutrality Bill would prevent a recurrence of such cases.

Mr. T. C. Hennings, a member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, "At present I am studying the pos- expressed the belief that the seizure

Waiting For News Japan and Britain have considerably .- The United States Government is ed in England to-day may be the improved after the signing of the still trying to find out from Russia men who were seen to get into Soviet-German non-aggression pact details of the seizure of the City of a boat when a German plane was is also very encouraging," he con- Flint, but no information is yet re-

conference to-day. Replying to a question, the President sald a Government-owned ship was practically in the same status as a private vessel as far as selzure was concerned.

He added that a report was received from the United States Ambassador in Moscow that all the facts

American ships to stay away, from down last week. the war zones, President Roosevelt replied in the negative. He added that he hoped to get the City of Flint back.

### May Soon Be Freed received instructions to ask the capacity.

German Government for a full explanation of the scizure of the City of Flint, the 6,501-ton liner which is pite heavy jamming, the German owned by the United States Shipping

- The announcer said the "speech The City of Flint was seized on carried our memory-back to the days Saturday by a German cruiser while when the Nazis, foaming and bolling she was on her way from America to

lieve they can use the same methods two hours later, and Norwegian sailors say they saw her hoist the

his efforts when forced to recognise women and children appear of their place; he has imputed of Kola (in which Murmansk that Britain did not want to among the list of those missing to Mr. Churchill what the Nazis have, situated) flying the Nazi flag. from the Bibby liner Yorkshire. in fact, done.

The Soviet authorities promptly supplied neutral information of the line fact, done.

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# JAPANESE MASS 10,000 MEN AROUND CANTON

DIRATION

ON THE KWANGTUNG FRONT, Oct. 25 (Central).-Presaging renewed activity in Kwangtung, over 10,000 Japanese reinforcements

Some 2,000 have been dispatched up the West River to the Samshui sector and 1,000 to

Extensive Japanese movements between Canton and

Japanese scouts have been l found busy inspecting the roads WESTERN FRONT and paths between Kunyui and Lupao, northwest of Canton.

A concentration of Japanese warships is said to have been sighted off Wangmoon. Chinese

Military dispatches from the Sunwul sector reveal that Chinese troops the incident was apparently moving have again broken into Sunwul city. The bulk of the Chinese force attacking Sunwui is in occupation of a highway has been taken back by the of Forbach.

\_\_\_Japanese\_military\_notes\_circulated |

# Commenting on the seizure of the City of Flint, Senator Connally re-The Sea

### German Airmen's Experience

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter) WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). -The two German airmen land-attack launched immediately." ceived of the whereabout of the ercw, forced into the sea during Mon-President Roosevelt stated at a Press day's raid over the south-east coast of Scotland.

If their account of "three days in , the sea" is taken literally, however 'hey may have taken part in Saturlay's attack on the British convoy and had been too crippled to get home. No further information is yel available as to where and when the machine containing the two men, about the selzure are not yet known who landed in Denmark, came down. There may thus be an addition of Asked whether he had authority one or two planes to the 10 Nazi airunder the existing law to order graft known to have been brought

Sir Edward Wilshaw, R.C.M.O., Chairman of Cable & Wireless, Ltd., has accepted an invitation from Government to join the Ministry of LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—The Information, Advisory Council, which United States Embassy in Berlin has he is now attending in an honorary

are reported to be massed in Canton.

Shenkong, south of Tsungfa. other points along its outer defence lines are also reported.

### **AMBUSHES** AND RAIDS

# Nazi Counter Attack

On Village Fails PARIS, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-Reports received here indicate that the French were successful

West of Forbach, in the -The State Department has instruct- in occupied areas in Kwangtung have Warndt Forest, the Germans-Adjectives | Hongkong with Mr. R. H. Scott as the director. | State Department has mistract in occupied areas in Kwangiung have Warnet Forest, the Germans registered a heavy slump, \$1 being launched a determined attack quoted at only 30 cents national curagings the village keld by the French. Wave after wave of men were sent forward, but when the attack ended, the village was still

### in French hands. Raids And Ambushes

PARIS, Oct. 24 (Router) .- A communique states: "During the latter part of last night and to-day, there were raids and amhustics at several points, and there were fairly sharp engagements towards the south-eastern border of the Forest of Warndt, where one of our posts was attacked by the enemy. "It was relieved by a counter-

### LATEST

See Back Page For Further Late News

### NAZI DISTORTION OF OFFICIAL STATEMENTS

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—A statement on the subject of gas warfare in Poland has been made by a medical expert of their opponents at home by setting She was taken to the Norwegian the University of Basic to the Basic correspondent of the

he found no evidence to indicate how He says that he examined some the poisoning occurred. German soldiers who were suffering The German press and broadcast and that Hitter had only appeared minimo of a national policy of the College of Pale of Tale of Ta

Germany And Russia.

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SUBSCRIPTION

ALTHOUGH the season un-

der review was one of the best

the Club has had, the President,

Mr. B. W. Bradbury, hinted of

the possibility of an increase

in monthly subscriptions, at the

Annual General Meeting of the

Following the adoption of the re-

ports and accounts, a proposal by

Mr. Bradbury that Mr. C. S. Rosselct

In his review of the year's ac-

Before proceeding with the business

tivities, Mr. Bradbury said, in part:

Club's deep regret at the passing of

cluded in the Income and Expendi-

accordance with recommendations of

our Auditors. Taking this into con-

sideration, and the extremely liberal

allowance of \$2,128.45 for deprecia-

tion, I feel justified in saying that the

year's working is satisfactory and the

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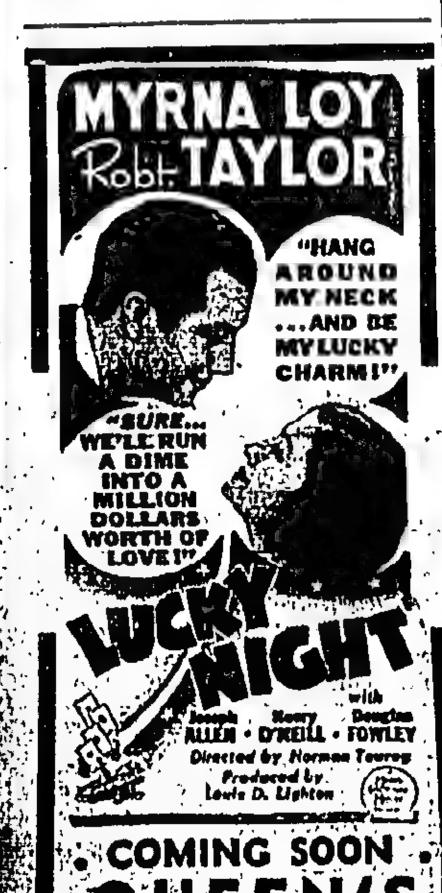
The Editor. Hongkong Telegraph.

Sir,-At the invitation of Mr. H. R. Butters, Labour Officer, Indian merchants met at his office en Saturday and discussed hours of employment. Owners of silk stores promised to consider the matter which is now being discussed by the parties concerned.

in the meantime, I take this opportunity to request those who have the interests of employees at heart to stay their hands and cease ogitation in public or in the Press. While having full sympathy with the employees, we should also not shut our eyes to some of the difficulties which the employers have.
H. M. PARWANI.

### Premier's Audience

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-His Majesty the King received Mr. Chamberlain, the Prime Minister, in audience to-night.



### Annual Meeting ADVERTISEMENTS.

### FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN

What to do to help a child

Anyone knowing of a child who has been assaulted, neglected, Ill-treated in a manner likely cause unnecessary suffering or injury KENYA BUTTER. First grade but to health, or knowing of a parent approved by Admiralty, is who is seeking advice on any matter obtainable from The Union Trading concerning a child, would be doing Company, Ltd., York Building. 95 an act of kindness by communicating

The Hon. General Secretary, yesterday. H.K.S.P.C., Old City Hall. The Inspector, 49, Pokfulam Road, ist floor.

The Inspector, 15, Star St., Wanchai. The Inspector, 12, Sal Young Choi St., Kowloon. The Inspector, 52, Argyle St.,

All further steps will be taken, and expenses borne, by the Society. The informant's name will.

### H.K. Stock Market

The following quotations were issued on the Hongkong Stock Maritet this morning. BANKS H.K. Bank \$......1,280 b. H.K. Banks (Lon. Reg.) £ . .751/2 n. H.K. Banks (H.K. Reg.) £ . . 76 n. but the percentage of profit was Mercantile, A. & B. £....201/4 n. that have been put into effect, the Mercantile, C. & .......... 10% n. question of revising the bar prices

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SHIPPING

DOCKS ETC.

New Eng. Sh. \$......71/2 n.

UTILITIES

H.K. Electrics \$ .................50 n.

Telephones (oid) \$......20 b.

-Telephones\_(new)\_\$\_.....7.60 n

Tractions s/- .....19/- n.

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Cald: Macg. (Pre.), Sh. \$ ... 13 n.

Canton Ices \$..... 1 n.

Cements \$.....14.10 s.

H.K. Ropes \$......4.90 n.

Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$....481/2 n.

H.K. Entertainments \$.....6.60 n.

Constructions (old) \$.....1.55 n.

G. Bonds ......30% n.

H.K. Govt. 4% .Loan ...... 100 n.

H.K. Govt. 34% Loan .....98 n.

Marsmans (Lon.) s/- .....12/- n.

Marsmans (H.K.) #/- .....4/- n.

Gains On The Stock

Exchange

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter),-Sub-

stantial gains were shown in most

groups after an active session in the

Stock Exchange in which glit-edged

securities took the lead owing to

An early improvement in gilt-

Be Inspected

left Paris to-night with a French

military mission to inspect the Polish

Legion in the provinces.

strong investment and support.

Wall Street was irregular.

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INDUSTRIALS

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Union \$...... 3721/2 b. crease. Towards the latter part of China Underwriters \$......14 n. the senson your Committee decreed subscription in advance, and I feel Steamboats \$...... 12 n. prove beneficial to the Club. The 

Shell (Bearers) s/- ....84/4½ n. | yenrs. I cannot say, however, that I view Waterboats \$.................8.10 n. the new season with any great hopes Docks \$..... 18 b. & so. ly subscriptions may have to come Providents \$..................3.05 b. up at some future date.

SPORTING ACTIVITIES IN the Bowls' section, our first team finished runners-up. Raubs \$...... 914 b. well. Permit me to congraulate H.K. Mines Cts. ...... 4 n. the Colony's Singles Championship Cricket Club.

Lond 4% de. \$..... par. n. The performance of our Cricketers Shal Lands Sh. \$...... 8 n. was not up to expections, especially after the success of the previous sea-Chinese estates \$.......100 n. son.

ling season are as follows: Hamson, and Dr. C. W. Lam (Com-Mr. E. Zimmern was ciccted Capinln, 1st XI, and Mr. B. R. Irence

-captain-of-the-2nd-201.\_\_\_\_\_ Convenors: Mr. L. C. R. Souza (Bowls), Mr. J. W. Leonard (Tennis) Mr. C. Rosselet (Social), Mr. R. Basa (Bar), and Mr. T. Locke (House).

### LIFE SENTENCE FOR NAZI SPY

Dairy Farms (old) \$.....20.30 n. Dairy Farms (new) \$ ..... 1914 n. SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" Lane, Crawfords \$ ..... 71/2 n. Wing On (HK.) \$......41 n. Schunex, a German engineer from tanker, Deodata, which was sunk in 

Ewo Sh. \$..... 22 n. martial at Nancy. Two Frenchmen on the same charge were sentenced to ten and nine years.

### Queen's Visit To London Factory

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—Her Majesty the Queen to-day visited \a large clothing factory in the east part of London.

She watched hundreds of girls traband cargo, making clothes for the troops. Although her visit was not announced, there was a large crowd outside the factory and she was warmly cheered.

### Sikorski Thanks The Allies

PARIS, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—General gather all the facts. edged holdings quickly had a favour- Sikorski, the Prime Minister of Poable effect on home industrials. land, to-day expressed in the "Petit neutrality legislation now being dis-Kamrs, which were among the Parisien" his gratitude for the sym- cussed, the City of Flint could not be leaders, closed around the day's best pathetic treatment of the Polish sailed for British ports. cause by the press of the allied

nations. Despite the horrors of war and the occupation of Poland, no Pole has lost courage, he says, nor has any Pole any doubts that his country will one day be free again.

### Sikorski, the Polish Prime Minister, 110 Prisoners of War In Britain

A London message says that the LONDON, Oct. 24 (British Wire-Pollsh Consul-General has requested less),—It was stated in the House all Pollsh citizens in Britain to ap- of Lords to-day that 110 German for military service with the Polish prisoners of war in Britain. As the city. The order affects all those liable ber of British airmen prisoners in and was called affectly this morn-punishment."

for military service between the ages Germany, he question of the ex- ing. No planes appeared over the The newspaper is strongly unti-

### European War Helps China H. H. Kung Reviews The BE RAISED Situation

CHUNGKING, Oct. 24 (Reuter) Reviewing the international as well conditions for deepening this friendas the Sino-Japanese situation at the ship. weekly memorial meeting of the Central Kuomintang yesterday, Dr. exchange of raw materials and in-H. H. Kung, the Chinese Finance Minister, declared that the outbreak much anxiety concerning possible consequences in the Far Eastern

But "events since then have shown that the European war has had no unfavourable effects on China," stated.

Assistance Increases Continuing, the Chinese Financial Minister stated that friendly Powers of the meeting, let me express the | continued to be greatly concerned with the For Eastern situation while Dr. J. S. Guzdar and Mr. J. Forsyth, their sympathy and assistance to The profit of \$448.90 shows a slight | China increased,

increase over last year, but here I Dr. Kung particularly mentioned must emphasise that the sum of Mr. Joseph Grew's speech as an existence of many British colonies, \$720 for entrance fees is not in- "effective pronouncement in the possessions, cooling stations, naval interests of international justice, and ture Account, having been placed at the same time a severe blow to directly to the Reserve Account in the Japanese militarists." After recalling recent

military successes in North North Kinngsi and South Shans provinces, Dr. Hung stressed the stability of the Chinese political and financial situation.

### WOMEN AND CHILDREN ARE MISSING

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rervice men and their families, and R.A.M.C., Colonel H. Cornford, R.A.O.C., "aptain F. W. Beer (Loneashire Regiment), and Squadron Lender P. Government. Thripp: R.A.F.

The missing also include a number of non-commissioned officers and men of the various British units. Two Mora Shins Sunk

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-The British steamer Clan Chisholm (7,256 tons) has been sunk, according to a report reaching Glasgow. Another British steamer, Menin

Ridge (2,474 tons), is also reported officially to have been sunk. The Clan Chishelm, one of the big fleet if Clan Line Steamers, Ltd., of Glasgow, was only built in 1937. was constructed by the Greenock Dockyard Co., Ltd., at Greenock.

The Menin Ridge, built in 1924 by a member of the Craigengower Burntlsland, is owned by the Ridge ment with Hitler that Britain and Steamship Company.

Survivors Rescued WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). -The United States Maritime Com- stand Hitler's historic peace offer. mission announced that the American Office bearers elected for the ensu- steamer, Crown City, rescued five Chamberlain took it as a sign survivors of the Menin Ridge and the weakness.

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-The

Greck ship, Konstantinos Hadjipat-The vessel was built in 1913 by -Messrs.-J.-L.-Thompson-and-Co.,-Of

An ambulance was waiting when a life-boat arrived at Great Yarmouth with 15 men after they had been transferred to her by a British vessel, The captain said the ship sank enrly to-day. A few men got into a life-bont and others dived overboard. The missing men were among those

seen swimming in the water. The men were taken to the Sallors' Home, which had just been evacuated PARIS, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-Paul by the crew of the Norwegian oil

### SEIZURE OF U.S. LINER

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original American crew was still aboard. The Soviet authorities state that the detention is only temporary and American circles in Moscow believe that arrangements will soon be made to enable her to sail again. The Germans claim that she carried con-

Perfectly Logal Voyage WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). -President Roosevelt's Press Secretary, Mr. Stephen Early, said to-day that the City of Flint was on a perfeetly legal and lawful voyage under the present laws.

Asked whether International Law permitted Germany to sail the ship into a neutral port, Mr. Early said that the State Department was examining that uspect and had asked American representatives abroad to Mr. Early pointed out that under

# SZECHWAN

CHUNGKING, Oct. 25 (Central),-\*Taking advantage of a brilliant moon, 24 Japanese aircraft in two groups raided Szechwan last night. Proper Punishment' . The first group flew over Wushan and Fengkieh on the Yangtze River! in eastern Szechwan and released a number of bembs.

tack. Chengtu, but wing to an division has threularised advertisers | landed here to-day." pear before a recruiting commission sailors and airmen are interned as almospheric change, falled to reach in the American workd "Chinese" A notice was attached to the bal-

change of prisoners so far arises. city.

### PLENTY OF ADJECTIVES TO DESCRIBE BRITAIN

(Continued from Page 1.)

Germany's foreign policy on a new basis. Traditional German-Soviet friendly relations were restored and there existed all the necessary

my far-reaching agreements the dustrial products between Germany and the Soviet was already operating the European war resulted in and would increase yearly. They would reach the highest point of

turnover shortly. Territorial divergence between the two states was out of the question for ever, he prophesied.

Regarding Germany's relations with the United States, there could not be any divergence at all with But country. Germany had absolutely no interests on the American continent except for greatest possible trade with all states on that con-

But while "Germany always -respected the Monroe Doctrine, the bases, etc. on the American continent signified a breach of this Doctrine Army Tennis and could bring Britain into violent conflict with it.

Referring to the question of war guilt, Herr von Ribbentrep said that, among the whole world public opinlon, there was not the slightest doubt that the French people did not want this war. They would rather have peace to-day than to-morrow.

Imposed By Britain That war had been imposed on

Herr von Ribbentrop, added that he could prove beyond all doubt that Rodgers, presented the trophics. systemetically and secretly prepared (R.A.O.C.) beat Lt.-Col. Smith and for years by the present British, Major Harvey, 0-4; beat Sgt. Stevens

Mr. Chamberlain did not go to and Pt. Milne, 6-2, Munich in order to prevent war, but to postpone the war the British' (RA.O.C.) lost to Smith and Harvey, declared.

The British assertion that Germany aimed at world domination was ridi- (R.A.O.C.) lost to Smith and Harvey, culous and impudent. Britain's fereign policy was un- beat Mussen and Milne, 6-2.

scrupulous. By slandering Hitler, the British want to alienate the German people: from their leader. The German people will not tolerate sly, impudent instructions, declared Herr von Ribbentrop.

Broke Agreement By declaring war on Germany, Mr. Germany would never go to war with each other again.

Mr. Chamberlain did not under-Misguided by his policy, Mr.

Herr von Ribbentrop concluded: attack against the German people is once and for all excluded."

Versailles Treaty DANZIG, Oct. 24 (UP),-"This war has been forced on to Germany," eras (5,952 tons) was sunk to-day by declared von Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister in a speech to the Nazi Old Guard here to-day. -Ha, made a lengthy review of the diplomatic events leading to German conflict with Poland.

"Germany never left Poland in any doubt as to the fact that sooner or later the problems of Danzig and the Corridor must be solved," he declared. and added that Danzig would never again be separated from the Reich. He charged that Poland was solely responsible for the conflict. For six months they had ignored Germany's "unbelievably generous offer," he

Further; he recalled that in one phase of German foreign policy—the destruction of the Versailles Treaty-"the Fuchrer never even touched the vital interests of the Western demo-

cracles." recognise that England did not desire | phalian farmlands.

such friendship," he asserted. Britain's "Protext" "There is not a single doubt but that the French people are opposed to war," he said, and charged that the war has been the British objective since the Munich Agreement.

and chose Poland as the recipient of British mutual aid pledges. "The German people are now determined to fight this war and to i far. continue until the security of the German Reich is guaranteed, and until the danger of attack on German people has been removed for all in Guynia or Adlerhorst. times," he declared.

Britain needed a pretext, he said

### **Embargo Debate** To Continue

bargo Debate.

out by its opponents. to-day to reconsider their decision.

### For Advertisers CHARRED TO DECISION STORES

a base in Klangsi, attempted to at- Ching-wel's cultural anti-Communist from her moorings at Wilhelmshaven Amercian Daily News to withdraw loon warning, in the German

### Yen Movement Expected

London Not Surprised

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter),-The Japanese decision to link the yen to the dollar instead of to the pound sterling has created no surprise or dissatisfaction in London financial circles. On the contrary, it is regarded as the logical step.

With Britain and France both at war, there must be a certain amount of uncertainty regarding the future levels of the sterling and the franc, and it is the general opinion that Japan is only following the example already set by the Scandinavian countries in aligning her currencies to the dollar which, in actual fact, is the only major currency at present well outside of the war's orbit.

You Unchanged LONDON, Oct. 24 (UP),-The Japa anese yen remained unchanged at fourteen pence against sterling here to-day, apparently unaffected by Tokyo's decision to peg the currency to the United States dollar.

### Hongkong Area Championships

At the finals of the Hongkong Area Tennis League held at Sookunpoo yesterday, the Royal Army Ordnance Corps beat the Medicals five points

to four. The Army Doubles Championship them by Britain by negotiations in was won by Duffield and Emberson, Paris and with the French Govern- of the R.A.O.C., the Singles Champlouship went to Webb, of R.A.M.C. Mrs. Rogers, wife of Col. T. L. this war against Germany had been! Sgt. Emberson and Sgt. Duffield

and Cpl. Webb, 6-2; beat'Cpl. Mussen Capt. Tracey and Comdr. Aslett Government had decided upon, he 4-0; lost to Stevens and Webb, 5-7; bent Mussen and Milne, 6-4. Q.M.S. Buckle and Pte. Boocock

NAIROBI, Oct. 24 (Reuter) .- Germun and Austrian refugees in Kenya 

In a petition they ask to be accepted | Shanghai and Amoy ......Oct. 29. In their letter they express gratitude for leave given them to rebuild their homes and live in liberty after "the degrading oppression of the ' Hitler regime."

### France Withdraws Gunboat

HANKOW, Oct. 25 (Domei) .--French naval authorities have decided to withdraw the 750-ton despatch ship Tahure from Hankow. The -ship-is-sailing-from-Hankow-for

Annam on October 30. It will carry about 60 French troops and be escorted down the Yangise by a Japanese warship. The French Concession in Hankow will hereafter be guarded by about 100 French troops and 14 French marines.

### Polish Prisoners Set To Work

OLDENZAAL, Holland, Oct. 24 (UP).—Travellers from Germany report that Pollsh prisoners, who have thus far been confined in concentra-For years, he said, Germany has tion camps, will henceforth be used sought an understanding with Britain. to assist the farmers in field work. "The Fuchrer only ceased his | Several thousand Poles have alefforts when he was compelled to ready been spread over the West-

### German Minorities Go To Danzig

DANZIG, Oct. 24 (UP).-More than 4,000 German minorities, mostly from Estonia, have arrived here so

After a short period in private homes the migrants have been moved to temporary or permanent quarters

### Lorry Fleet Dynamited

FANCHENG, Oct. 25 (Central)— A first of twenty Japanese army lor-WASHINGTON, Oct. 24' (Reuter). ries passing through Kwanchiao near The Senate has refused to apply Kingshan, about 90 miles northwest Parliamentary guillotine to the Em- of Hankow in central Hupch, struck Chinese mines on Oct. 22. The measure will now be threshed Chinese troops lying in ambuth, rushed out and launched an at-The Isolationist Group, hended by tack. Three lorries were completely were killed.

### German Captive Balloon Adrift

MARKELY, Holland, Oct. 24 (UP). The second group, toking off from BHANGHAL, Oct. 24. (UP).—Wang —A captive balloon which escaped Air Mell for Malaya. Java and Aus-

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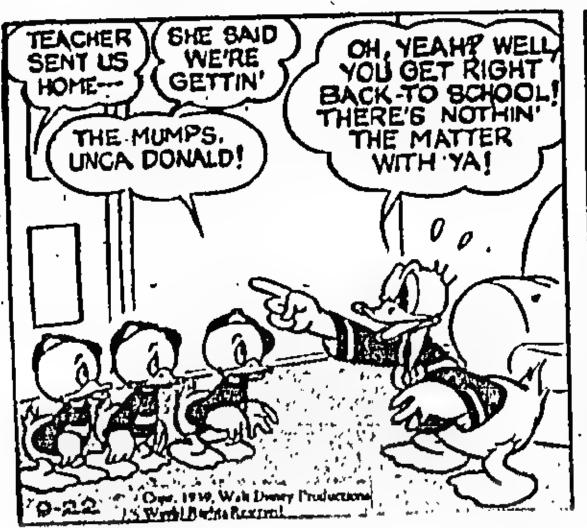
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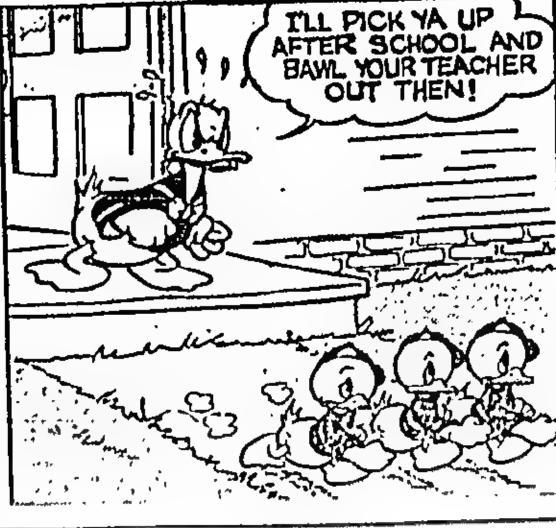
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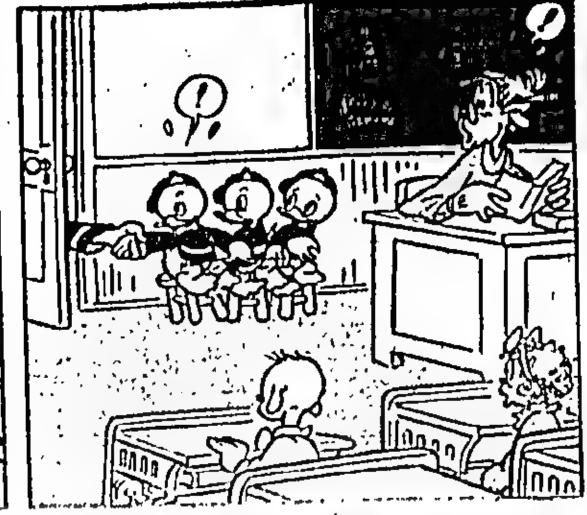
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ing them that Italy has established a

We understand that after the end of

disbanded, and their duty done by

25 YEARS AGO

If the European nations continue to

Not long ago Mr. Churchill gave an

it should have been necessary to point

that one must needs admire the

Kaiser's pluck in throwing down the

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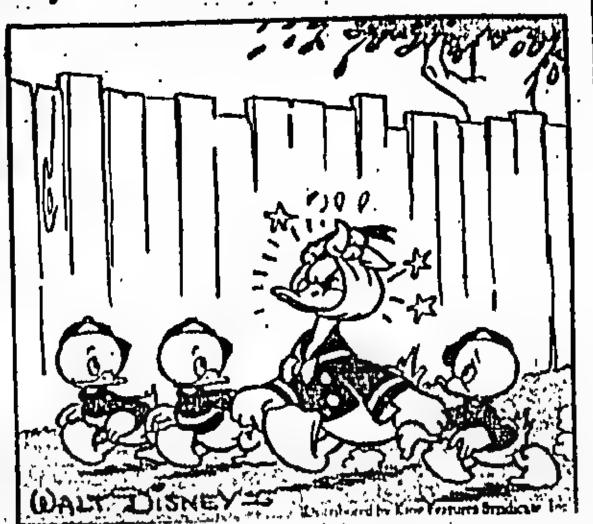
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Protectorate over Abyasinia.



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Neutrality Act

# U.S. SENATE PASSES VITAL AMENDMENT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—The Senate has approved the amendment to the Neutrality Bill to lift drastic restrictions on United States shipping except in the North Atlantic danger, zones.

The amendment would permit American vessels to carry any materials except to belligerent Presumably ports in the South Atlantic, Pacific and Indian Oceans, China, Tasman and Arabian Seas, the JUST HOT AIR
Bay of Bengal, Bermuda, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

Has Doubts

Dissertation On New

Tripartite Pact

Signor Gayda recalls that the pact,

a'med at preventing Italian expan-

problems-for-the-Bulkan-system.\_\_\_

"Idyllic Lovers' Meetings"

The newspaper reaffirms that fol-

newspapers seek to clouk the facts

Gandhi Deplores

India Decision

inand for dominion status.

sion in the Mediterranean.

The Senate has also approved the amendment permitting in-Signor Gayda land commerce with Canada and Mexico to continue normally without requiring the purchasers to obtain title to supplies before they are transported

across the border. The Senate has also accepted the proposals deleting the clause perinitting belligerents to obtain 90-day

Vote On Bill This Week WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP).— Deace is expressed by Signor and received from the Ambassadors and engagement and mention many Events.

The Senate to-day formally agreed Gayda, writing in the "Giornale in Moscow and Rome do not They also give interesting details of the content of to limit the debate entirely to the d'Italia."

neutrality issue, and each Senator is allowed a maximum of 45 minutes to in its origin, was based on "Franco- The same applies to news abroad easy. speak on the Bill itself. The same rules apply to any amendment to the Bill, and a vote on the Bill is considered virtually

-After-the-Senate-vote-the\_House of Representatives will begin its; debate, probably on Monday, and some Congressional leaders express the belief that Congressional adjournment is likely by November 4. lowing the union of Albania with A meeting of 14 Isolationist mem- Italy, the inter's policy extends to bers in Senator Hiram Johnson's the heart of the Balkans. It adds: office also agreed to the limitation of "That is the essential point, Some

the debate. Senators Borah and LaFoliette both in hazy pictures of idyilic lovers' said that there is no doubt but that a meetings, but Italy turns a deaf ear vote will be taken this week-end.

-The proposed amendment that eye." American ships should keep 300 miles away from Europe when proceeding to neutral countries was rejected by 71 votes to 18.

The approved amendments also include one that Inland commerce with Ganda and Mexico will continue normally.

### French Tributes To said that although the Viceroy's re- He has also made a cash contribu-Sir Eric Phipps

precintions of the work done by Sir to resign leaves the door open, he Viceroy, has conveyed his materia. Eric Phipps who arrived back in said, for satisfying the nation's de-appreciation for the gift to the Air England to-day.

TOOTH

POWDER

### SMALL BRITISH LOSSES ON WEST FRONT SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter) .- Fewer than 12 men died in the British zone since the war began, states "Reuter's" special correspondent with the British Expeditionary Force.

Their bodies were buried the beautifully-kept British war cemetery.

# Ribbentrop-Hitler Talks

Unimportant

BERLIN, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—
The official news agency declares that political circles deny reports that a discussion of decisive importance concerning the international situation has taken place between the Fuchrer and Ribbentrop. the limited of the fight of the mountain on the face of the face of the fight of which above the face of the thin Billies and Others in a growth of the limited of which above the face of the fight of which above the fight of which above the face of the fight of which above the face of the fight of the face of the fight of the Hill Billies and Others in a gradual variety Programme.

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correspond to the facts.

No New Peace Move , British policy of encirclement" and concerning alleged war conduct. The agency adds: "The German certain for Friday or Saturday this Turkey continues to belong to the peace offer is well-known. Germany salvoca sank an enemy cruiser. Balkan Entente and raises new sees no reason for making a new peace move."

### unificent Gift By Indian Ruler

to the screnades. On the contrary LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). interview in London to an American the will continue to watch the WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). sequence of events with a very sharp .- The Nizam of Hyderabad has newspapermun on the subject of the offered the Viceroy of India a "In a word, it is the old struggle of monthly contribution of one and hundred years ago against Kapoleon. a half lakhs of rupees (over circumstances are different; the £11,000) towards the cost of sion is different; the man, above all, is maintaining units of the never made a truer statement in his Hyderabad State forces, which life then this last. The wonder is that BOMBAY, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—In may be called on for services

| ture of India's constitution was "un- fare.

apubtedly deplorable", it was trie- It may be recalled that he contributed a similar sum in 1917 for

Ministry, and Sir Kingsky Wood and the Air Council have also expressed their thanks.

Nigerian Natives' Gifts Offers from Nigerian native leaders of gifts of money are gratefully appreciated in London.

an all-day game at Creigengower C.C. Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Secretary to them his grateful thanks for the n.m.; meet at H.K.C.C. at 10.30 a.m. generous offer, but says that he thinks | sh rp- O. Moor (C nt.). J. E. Richardthe needs of the N.ger.an Adminis- son, R. M. Wood, W. D. Folley, J. A. tration come first as he does not want to deprive that body of money which may later be required for which may later be required for Nigeria.

# French Army

Cash Transactions For

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reu- indicated in lists described as "in-ter).—The French Government complete" and published by the press is prepared to pay in cash. ment might buy horses. .... He indicated that big orders for being made through the American war supplies would be placed if the Ambassador to China, Mr. Nelson T.

irms embargo is repealed, ....

# A Look Through

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n Short Wave from 1-2.15 p.m. and 8-11 p.m. on 9.52 m.c's, per second. 12.15 p.m. Short Service of Interthis year the Dockyard Police will be cegelon. 12.30 Vivian Ellis at the Piano. "Top Hat," "Streamline."

12.40 Primo Scala's Accordeon in France, when a patient is under Band. chloroform on the slightest symptom of 1.0 Local Time Signal and Weafailure of the heart, they turn him ther Report.

nearly upside down-that is, with his head downward and his heals in the head downward and his heals in the line Plane with Ofto Debrindt and him; and such is their faith in the His Orchestra.

him; and such is their faith in the His Orchestra.

efficacy of this method that the operat- 1.30 . Reuter and Rugby . Press, ing tables in the Paris hospitals are Weather Forecast and Announcemaile so that in an instant they can be ments. elevated with one end in the air, so 1.45 Danny Malone (Tenor) in an as to bring the patient into a position Irish Programme resembling that of standing on his 125

6 Dance Music. It has long been supposed that the 7.0 Closing local Stock Quointions, highest mountain on the face of the 7.02 Arthur Askey, Hildegarde, 7.0 Closing local Stock Quolations.

of talks by Father Ryan, S.J. 9.0 Orchestral Interinde; May Song (Elgar) .... New Symphony Or-

9.15 London Relay—The News. They also give interesting details of the fight, the amouthness of the sea making the detection of submarines (Manager). The Mellin Blanching Scanning the detection of submarines (Manager). (Tenor); The Holly: Ploughing Song; H.M.S. Queen Mary has twice at Malltracth Dyke: Wilt thou have a tacked and avoided tornedoes by the ad like me? ... Mable Parry use of her helm. H.M.S. Lowestoft (Soprano); David of the White Rock, attitude in consequence of Mr. Cham- also avoided attack, while the firing of The Vale of Llangellen, The Stars He says that despite this treaty berlain's rejection of the German H.M.S. Lion was very creditable. Two in Heaven are Bright, and She Must Be Mine ... Ben Morgan (Tenor). 9.45 Compositions of Sir Edward

shoot-at-the rate-they have been main- German. taining during the first month of the 10.0 Musical Comedy Selections. wer, all their guns may be worn out "Viktoria And Her Hussar" (Abrawithin six months, says a Philadelphia am). Light Opera Company with Orchestra; "Fanfare", Selection De-This is due to the corresive qualities, roy Somers Band with Voral Chorus of amokeless powder. It fairly eats up by Dan Donovan; "The Fleet's Lit the steel puzzles of the guns and burns Up", Selection, Geraldo and His up their breech locks. Particularly is Up", Selection, Geraldo and His this the case with the nitroglycerin condon Hippodrome Orchestra; "The powder used by the British army and Love Parade", Vocal Gema (Schertzinger) Light Opera Company.

10.30 Dance Music. 11.0 Close down.

### EMPIRE WOMEN RALLY ROUND **Entering War Work** With Gusto it should have been called for; that

said that although the Viceroy's re- He has also made a each contribu- William had just about as much in Voltage magnified the sounder in common as Oliver Cromwell and the Letters received in this country inmodern Inbour agitator. And yet, any dicate how the women of the British | 9580. time during the past dozen years, we Empire have taken up war work.
have heard persons of all nationalities. In Sydney the women have or- 9582. get hysterical in their admiration for ganised first-aid and A.R.P. lectures the Kaiser; and, even since the war within a few days and have started of the French newspapers carry ap- resolution calling on all the Ministers His Majesty the King, through the broke out, there have been plenty of lenitting and sewing.

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sympathising with German methods and being done with materials provided embitions-were quiet ready to tell us by the Canadian Covernment. In Natal a handful of residents inguerted £50 within a few days and formed a Women's League. . They are raising funds for the Red The following will represent the Cross and are making up hampers Volunteers on Sunday, October 27, in for the troops.

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Peace Reports WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP),blankets, shoes etc., for the army, and Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull said that he is entirely without information regarding the Domei reports of a Chinese peace proposal



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### Vaulting Ambition

written a book! Exactly what the Patriarch meant by that is not quite clear, except that he might have had the opportunity of criticising the book, adversely. Leaving many would withdraw her that to Biblical experts, one can turn with a certain satisfaction to written, much to the advantage of

Hitler's policy would take in his Europe. Peace is far from the cern.' thoughts of the Fuhrer, and ever has been. His guiding principle, as told in his own words, is that this is a world of everlasting struggle, where one creature feeds on the other and where the death of the weaker implies the life of the stronger.

Following this conception human life, his declared aim has been to swallow any State which is smaller and weaker than his own. Germany should go on expanding him, Hitler will dismiss a subordinate six years. in whatever quarter he considers desirable and feasible. "To-day." he says in "Mein Kampf," "there are eighty million Germans in his staff officers saying "But . . . . Europe. And our foreign policy will be recognised as rightly con- signals. ducted only when, after barely a million Germans living on this Continent, not packed together as a European war. the coolles in the factories of another Continent but as tillers of the

never be secure unless it is in a position to give every descendant "most sacred of all rights in this volition. world is man's right to the earth which he wishes to cultivate for with new and formidable conditions himself, and that the holiest of all over which it has no control. So sacrifices is that of the blood poured out for it."

rights of the peasantry who must of been wrong. If you could look tonecessity be violently dispossessed before the German can stop into gered by the following realisations: the hely heritage.

How leitler is to get rid of the present inhabitants to make room for his consecrated German peasantry has still to be disclosed.

# "For all we have and are"

Rudyard Kipling wrote this in 1914. He could but guess then how true his words\_would be proved in the next four years. But Kipling's majestic verse is even truer to-day. It is a hymn that ranks with the "Recessional."

FOR all we have and are, For all our children's fate, Stand up and take the war. . The Hun is at the gate! Our world has passed away In wantonness o'erthrown. There is nothing left to-day But steel and fire and stone! Though all we knew depart, The old Commandments stand:-

"In courage keep your heart, In strength lift up your hand." Once more we hear the word That sickened earth of old:-"No Law except the Sword · Unsheathed and uncontrolled."

Once more it knits mankind, Once more the nations go To meet and break and bind A crazed and driven foe.

Comfort, content, delight, The ages' slow-bought gain, They shrivelled in a night. Only ourselves remain

To face the naked days In silent fortitude, Through perils and dismays. Renewed and re-renewed. Though all we made depart,

The old Commandments: stand:--"In patience keep your heart, In strength lift up vour hand."

No easy hope or lies Shall bring us to our goal, But iron sacrifice

Of body, will, and soul. There is but one task for all— One life for each to give. What stands if Freedom fall? Who dies if England live?

IN war, the two things 1 that count are leadership and backing. What is the strength of Germany in these

respects? Hitherto Hitler has wielded supreme power. Unquestioning obedience to his orders is the basis of the Nazi Government.

I have been alone with Hitler and Goring at the height of a 66OH that mine adversary had crisis, and seen the deference which even the second man in the Reich pays to his chief.

It was at the time of the German reoccupation of the Rhineland. War seemed imminent. asked Goring whether Gertroops from the French frontier to make way for the occupation of a neutral zone between her book which an adversary has and France by British, Italian, and Swedish troops, as in the Snar during the plebiscite.

Powers is that they knew beforehand precisely the course that first," he added earnestly. "The Fuhrer might charge me with They are a tough, and disciplined mixing myself up in foreign race. They love their country. To monstrous ambition to subjugate politics, which are not my con-them littler has hitherto stood for

### His Secret

delegation of internal administrative time be grawing at their hearts. authority to the Council of Six, In the past-they have rejoiced over German Government will have to headed by Goring, while Hitler has their Fuhrer's successes. But now face a different situation. gone off to exercise his absolute rule the bill for all these easy triumphs. The skilled workers, key-men, present I do not think they have as Commander-in-Chief.

versaries are there to obstruct and tain internal order.

for raising the least objection to his orders. The words "Aber, mein Fuhrer . . . " are enough. This has become an ingrained habit with him. A commander who will not listen to is as sure of disaster as an enginedriver who shuts his eyes to the

Hitler himself has described his method as "advancing with the conhundred years, there will be 250 fidence of a sleep-walker." A genernl might sleep-walk into victory against primitive savages, but not in

Will-power-that is what Hitler declares to be the secret of his successes hitherto. He believes, with all the earnestness of the authors who write books of popular psychology, The Reich, in his estimation, will that if he wants a thing hard enough he will get it.

With the Gestapo at hand to suppress all wills but his own, this may of the German race a piece of work all right, but the Fuhrer is now ground that he can call his own. united will of Britain, France and Germans must never forget that the Poland—as strong and far more dogged than his own neurasthenic

The dominating power of Germany also is the nation on which it depends to carry out its aims. -

The German people have awakened with a shock to the discovery that Nothing is said of the sacred all their complacent calculations have day into millions of German minds, you would find them secretly stog-

"We were wrong in thinking that Britain and Franco would never "We were wrong in thinking that the British Dominions would declare themselves neutral;

"We were wrong in thinking that

India would rise in rebellion;

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"We were wrong in imagining. Up to the age of 21, they have all that Japan would hold up the started in the Hitler Youth, a weilwhole of the British Fleet in the run organisation in whose camps I

Spain would furnish us with sub- We are born to die for Germany,

that Poland would throw in her six months' Labour Service before hand when we fixed it up with going into the fighting forces. Soviet Russin to divide her; "---Of course, we know that the and steeped in the Nazi creed Fuhrer is always right, but IS HE?"

Germany and its well-being. They have trusted and admired him. If they stand by him at first, it will be of a country does not lie solely in platitudes, to which he is compelled because there is no one else to stand marching battalions of fine young by prudence to pay attention. TS this extreme concentration by. But doubt, misgiving, and re- men. luctance to pay the terrible price of The industrial organisation of

Nor can a generalissimo command lier twenties has passed through the for it now that it has plunged them signs of cracking. He counts it a divine right that like an autocrat. In peace time, as Nazi training organisations, which into a war not defensive but aggres- Twice it has happened to me that have been told by those near to have been compulsory for the past sive; a war which, even if successful, I have been sitting with high Ger-

have found the boys being systema-"We were wrong in thinking that ficulty taught to absorb the principle:

The slightly older men have been "We were wrong in believing Storm Troopers, and have done their have been lectured and propaganded

"corpse-like obedience," as the Germans themselves call it. I am convinced that, with the ex- Physically they are inured to He has had to work almost conception of three or four million young hardship. Mentally, they have never tinuous overtime. His cherished men, who may see in war an oppor- learnt to think for themselves. Like leisure has been reduced by constant. He said he would take me to junity for excitement, glory, and pro- young men everywhere, they are full attendance at political meetings by The advantage to the Western Hitler for the purpose of sug- motion, the German nation enter on of spirit, and should fight well. But order of the local Party boss, or by

-- IN-the-new-kind--of--"nationa

It has been partly reduced by the his overweening ambition will all the belligerent State is just as important as its armed forces, and here the

has come in-and they don't like it, managers, and organisers of the fac- even resented it very much. It is In this capacity the Fuhrer, for With this background, let us con- tories are all naturally older than now, when the whip of war begins the first time since he took office, sider the strength of the German the fighters. Their minds were to fall on their weary flanks, that will be faced by opposition. No war machine on its human side. formed in pre-Nazi days. They they will feel the strain. longer are his orders sure of the de- First come the young men, who accepted Nazi rule with enthusiasm Nor they alone. Even the Nazi won triumphs at no cost.

could only paint some more of the man executives at times of crisis,

map in German colours, and of which the cost will be crushing? I am convinced that the Germans of 35 upwards have not their hearts in this struggle. We have no English equivalent for

the word Gemuthchkeit, which is so often on German lips. It means quiet and peaceable well-being. It forms the background of the mind of every German once he has settled

down in life. What have the Nazis done for Germun Gemutlichkeit? For the past four years, since Gor-

ing, one Saturday morning in April 1935 revealed to the world in an interview with myself that Germany was putting her civilian air force on a military basis, the German worker has been under crescendo strain. He has been shifted about from

one job to another at the behest of the "bonzes"—as they call them—in Berlin. He has had his pay heavily docked for Party subscriptions, while of the bonzes, once poor as himself in many cases, built their grand villas and had strings of big Mercedes cars.

at his favourite Bierstube, it is likely to be interrupted by a long broadcast oration from Dr. Goebbels or some war," however, the strength other purveyor of pempous political

### Weary Officials

THESE people have borne it all A with the patience of an overworked, underfed horse. Up to the

sired result. The forces of his ad- will have to do the fighting and main- because it exalted their country, and Government officials, with all their amenities of prestige, authority, and Every young German in the ear- Will-they be equally enthusiastic comfortable living, sometimes show-

> like the sudden swoop on Prague last year, and the seizure of Memel that followed it-sitting quietly over a bottle of wine in the evening-and my companion has suddenly exclaimed, like a man who must tell someone and did not dure to confide in his own people: "I can't go on like this. I've not had a decent night's sleep for weeks. I'm kept always on the

run. I must have a rest." That pressure will now be multiplied tenfold.

Men whose nerves are worn revert to type. Artificially formed habits of mind fall away. Their hidden in-

stincts come to the surface. The fundamental inclination of very many German workers is towards Communism.

I do not expect anything to happen until the hardships of war have broken the superficial crust of German solidarity, but it was perhaps: significant that as Hitler drove away from the Chancellery to assume command on the Eastern Front, four of his bodyguard were standing on the running-boards of his car. I have seen Hitler moving about

Germany scores of times, but never before has he needed such protec-

### Faithful Fan Wins Mercy

COLUMBIA, S. C. A rabid baseball fan escoped a fine or jail sentence for drunkenness when an understanding judge heard his case. The fan, arrested for drunkenness while en route to watch the seventh-place Columbia team play, was released when his attorney naked the judge: "What else can you expect of a man watching that team play this season?"



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# NEWS PAGE TO

# Ridicūlous

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP). -Senators Clark, Downey and Josh Lee sharply debated the possibility of invasion of the United States or the Western Hemisphere.

Senator Clark declared that the apprehensiveness of a Japanese invasion was the most ridiculous proposition ever advanced. He said the United States would need a three-to-one naval preponderance over Japan to launch a successful attack against the Japanese in their waters. Japan would need a similar preponderance for an attack in United States waters. In neither case was such an attack possible under the present conditions of national finance and naval construction.

Senator Lee, on behalf of the Administration, declared that on calculations based on the World War and naval experience, the oceans were much narrower and a less impassable barrier now that acropiane developments have accelerated communications and transportation.

### Finland-Russia

# Feeling Of Optimism Prevails '

Foreign Office was postponed from 7

to 10 p.m., to-night. It is understood that important information is expected from Moscow, Papal authority.-Reuter. particularly since the postponement coincides with 11 p.m., Moscow time,

when the news is generally given out.

There is a general feeling of optimism but precautionary measures The only official statement issued.

### "We remain value,"-United Press. Delegate Returning

Helsinki, Oct. 24. M. Paasakivi is returning from Moseow to-night for new instruc-

. This confirms the lack of substantiation of rumours in official circles that a pact has been signed. Finland has a non-aggression pact with Russia and has repeatedly stated his Danzig speech.-United Press. that she will not sign a military alliance.-United Press.

### New Written Proposals Moscow, Oct. 24.

Some-members-of-the-Finnish-delegation returning to Helsinki for further instructions are understood to be carrying new written Soviet proposals.

The talks last night continued up to 3 am. Neither side would comment thereon, but only the heads of the delegations attended the meeting. -Reuter Bulletin.

### Mare Hopeful Outlook

Helsinki, Oct. 24. announcement that "normal progress" has been made.

confidently expected and the tension In an interview yesterday. noted over the week-end has notice- In stating, however, that many ably declined.

pointed manner in which the Finnish | Selwyn-Clarke drew attention to damaged, she would have seen it. delegates were greeted on arrival in | some misapprehensions. Moscow by the various Scandinavian

tions,-Reuter.

### Soviet Envoy Recalled Moscow, Oct. 24.

has been ordered to return to Moscow.-Reuter Bulletin.

### Estonia Occupation

Soviet troops have occupied all the accordance with the Soviet-Estonian pointed out that owing to the gravity nightly. In May, 1938, Torr offered island of Oesel.—Reuter.

### Soviet Disappointment Copenhagen, Oct. 24.

the Russians are bitterly disappointed with the Estonian port of Baltiski | which, according to the archives, contained a magnificently fortified harbour, but upon arrival the Russians found a second-rate fishing port with a sandy beach and a half-finished

Soviet troops are still marching into Estonia. They sleep, in tents desplie the intense cold.—Reuler.

### Handing Over Vilna

# OVERNIGHT GERMANS GI PEACE EARLY

### Reich Foreign Minister To Warn The People

Amsterdam, Oct. 24.

"Big Shot"

Court Witness Relates

Man's Claim

Magistracy yesterday, when the hear-

against Francisco Xavier (Chico)

dos Remedios, 41, cabaret manager,

was continued. Remedies was al-

parked outside his house, in Happy

commission amounting to several

thousands of dollars was owing to

him, when he was dismissed from

his employment at the end of May

damaged Torr's car, although he ad-

the night of the alleged incident.

Darkin was present for the Police.

Remedios was further cross-

examined by Mr. d'Almada yester-

and that most of his witnesses had

Mr. d'Almada: I suggest that you

and your friends were so annoyed

the car you thought it was a good

thing to do some damage to it?—No.

of Torr, who had previously said she

street and walk away, was cross-

examined yesterday. She said she

knew Nelson Lee, an interpreter in

evidence, but she refused. Sub-

sequently, a subpoena was received.

At the time, she did not know Lee

Wakened at Night

was awakened by the noise of people'

rattling a door knob. The voice also

threatened to break the door down,

but she heard no sound of thumping.

Mrs. Lau denied she had been in-

formed, since the last hearing, of

Remedios or give false evidence

"Chico," said Lau, "became very

"He took me into a room and ask-

adding that Charlie was a spy. He

reminded me that I was a Chinese,

and asked me to do something for

him. I asked him what he wanted,

hinting that I must first swear

ber 17. Mr. Silva intimated there

was a possibility of Remedios leaving

The state of the second second

I haven't damaged his car'."

was employed by Mr. Silva.

Mrs. Lau Yuen-ling, a neighbour

year. He denied having

Evidence that Howard Allen Torr

Herr von Ribbentrop will try to persuade the German people to abandon any hope of early peace when he speaks at Danzig to-night, according to the Berlin correspondent of Handelsblad. The Wilhelmstrasse is described as

attaching great significance to the speech, but it is regarded as more for home than foreign consumption. Otherwise it is suggested that Hitler would have preferred to speak.— Reuter.

### No Favourable News

London, Oct. 24. The silence in Berlin both regarding Hitler's private appeal to Stalin and the conference of Nazi leaders is interpreted in neutral countries as meaning that Hitler has heard nothing pleasant from either source, according to competent observers. According to reports reaching

Amsterdam from Berlin, the Nazi leaders have drawn attention to the growth of monarchist feelings in the to the extent of \$416.50, when it was corps of army officers, increase of Communist tendencies among the working class, distress of the populafood, and clothing and the closing of played by Torr in the Capitol Ballfactories due to the lack of raw materials, and the rising resentment of the Roman Catholics, numbering nearly half of the population, at the mronds of Communism from the

Hitler has ordered the complete dissolution of the Roman Catholic The regular press conference at the Church before the end of the year and the formation of the Reich National Church in which Hitler will by Mr. H. A. de B. Botelho, appeared he the highest official replacing the

### No New Peace Offer

Berlin, Oct. 24. Information made available to the Press contains denials of the reports | day. He declared the case against that Count von Schulenberg, and him had been fabricated by Torr. Herr von Mackensen - would be recalled for reports to Hitler. It is reilerated that Germany is not planning a new peace offensive.

After the rejection of the German peace offer by Mr. Chamberlain the German viewpoint was finally settled and Germany sees no reason to make new pence proposals.

It is also dealed that Herr von Ribbentrop had any special conferences with Hitler in anticipation of

# Many Blood Donors

### Older Group Of British Subjects Volunteers

"Almost every one of the older group of British subjects called up under the Compulsory Service Ordinance have volunteered as denora A more hopeful view of the Mos- in connection with the blood transcow talks is taken here following the fusion service which is being organised by the Government Medical Authorities," stated Dr. P. S. Selwyn-An early settlement is now fairly | Clarke, Director of Medical Services,

more donors are needed in order to what happened on the landing. She Moscow observers say, that the allow a safe margin of blood that had no particular reason to favour Russians have been impressed by the might be needed in the event of an evidence of Nordic solidarity and the emergency arising in this Colony, Dr. | against Torr. If the car had been

"The idea appears to be prevalent | Lau Pak-kit, alias Patchiol, said envoys was not lost upon Soviet that a donor would take two days that up to December he was employ- allowed to remain 24 hours outside for the number of passengers carried. to recover after giving his blood ed in the Capitol Ballroom. He had It is stated in Moscow that a special for transfusion," said Dr. Selwyn- maintained good relations with Torr Finnish messenger is leaving for Clarke. "I cannot emphasize too since. Three days before Remedies man flag. Helsinki to-night for fresh instruct strongly that this is not the case, was arrested, Torr spoke to him and Donors are carefully chosen and only asked him to tell "Chico" not to ask those in good health are accepted. for his commission. If he per-"After they have given their blood, sisted, continued Torr, he would sue

it is usual to suggest that they should him for damaging his car. Witness The Soviet Minister in Stockholm rest on a sofa or in a comfortable delivered the mescage to Remedios chair for half an hour, then have the following night. some refreshment (tea, coffee, cocoa, ovaltine or milk and some sandwiches) and then proceed on their mad and replied, 'Let him sue me. normal business."

Dr. Selwyn-Clarke emphasised that | Chan Kwok-cheung sald he districts on the Estonian mainland in this point should be remembered and formerly frequently the Capitol Pact. Troops are still arriving on the of, the international situation in him a job. Europe, a Scottish National Blood Transfusion Service had been started ed if I knew he was a 'big shot' and in Edinburgh, Glasgow, Pundee and a Chinese Government official," said Aberdeen and an urgent call made to Chan. "He also asked if I knew According to a Moscow message, enlist 25,000 volunteer donors. A Charlie of the Majestic Ballroom, in Russians are bitterly disappoint— similar service had existed in the adding that Charlie was a say. He London area for many years.

### BRITISH ASSURANCE

### Neutrality of Thailand To Be Fully Respected

the Colony on business. The Ministry of Information states that the Thoi. Government has for Copenhagen, Oct. 24. some weeks been showing a certain After the hitch of a week ago, the pervoumess as to the -; -- thillity of THE prefix "Special to the Tele-Lithuanian army has been ordered to a violation of its neutrality by the graph" is used by the "Hongkong begin occupation of Vilna territory, belligerent Powers. This nervous- Telegraph" to indicate news which They are expected to reach the city bess appears to have been deliber- is strictly copyright under the proately fostered by outside elements. visions of the Telecommunications Military negotiations, between The British Minister at Bangkok Ordinance, 1986. Such news as bears large body of correspondents now Messrs. W. Tong, J. W. Clague, W. Lithuania and Russia continuo and it has accordingly been instructed to the indication "UP" is received in is a expected , that the . Erst . Soviet | assure Thuiland; that so long as its | Hongkong on the date of publication. garrisons will be established, in a neutrality, is respected by other by the United Press Associations, who number of Lithuanian towns pext Powers it will be completely res- reserve all rights and forbid re- alism but are most anxious seekers Flannagan, U Sze-wing, A. Nissim week.—Reuter, with the second of the pected by Britain. The state of the s

### YEN LEAVES STERLING: PEGGED TO U.S. DOLLAR

TOKYO, Oct. 24 (Domei).—Following the Cabinet meeting this morning, the Government has announced that the Yen will hereafter be linked with American Dellar instead of with pound Sterl-

The Finance Ministry says that the decision is entirely due to economic factors and is not designed to change Japan's commercial

Japanese Yen has hitherto been linked with Sterling at the rate of 1s. 2d. Britain is now steadily strengthening the control of foreign exchanges in precaution against a protracted war and consequently the Japanese Government has decided to link Yen with American dellar with a view to facilitating the operation of Japan-

The basis of the exchange rate between Yen and Dollar will be sought in the latest quotations and fixed at 23% dollars per Yen

### American Ship Held

# Made Germans

Moscow, Oct. 24. The Tast News Agency reports rowed ashore in the City of Flint's from Murmansk, that the City of bonts. It is said that no American Flint (4,963 tons) has been captured members of the crew were seen.by a German cruiser.

had claimed to be "a big shot" and The U.S. Maritime Commission's a Chinese Government official was steamer was captured at sea, A given before Mr. Forrest at Central German crew of 18 was placed aboard by the German cruiser, and ing of a charge of malicious damage flying the German flag.

Tass adds that the Soviet authorities have detained the American Remedies, who was formerly em-| vessel and have interned the German|

> It will be recalled that the City of Flint rescued many survivors from the Athenia.-United Press.

### On Way To America

mitted he had called at Torr's flat on New York, Oct. 23. The City of Flint sailed from New York on October 3 en route to Man-Hon, Mr. Leo d'Almada, instructed chester, Liverpool, Dublin and Glasgow. It was believed that the for Torr, and Mr. M. A. da Silva represented Remedios. Sub-Insp. trip.---United Press.

### Halted By Emden

Oslo, Oct. 24. The City of Flint was halted by The United States Embassy has not the German warship Emden 24 been informed of the ship's arrival hours after the seized vessel had at Murmansk and learned of this only picked up 38 members of the crew from Moscow papers 'this morning. of the British steamer Stonegate, The Embassy is now making an which was sunk in the North Atlan- effort to ascertain details, but it is tic by a German U-boat on October | doubtful if any official steps can be at not being able to gain access to

Torr's flat that when you came across! 13. the City of Flint's cargo was contra- are closed.

They put a prize crew abourd the vessel at Tromsoe, where the British temporarily. In view of the Soviet

### coming down the stairs, go into the gen .- United Press. Within Her Rights

Princeton, Oct. 24. Mr. Silva's office. He was her rent collector. About three weeks after of Jurisprudence at Princeton Uni- proceed to Murmanak soon to insure the incident, Lee-spoke to her and versity, holds that Germany is with full protection of United States inasked if she knew anything about it. in her rights under international law terests.—United Press. She told him what she knew and in seizing the City of Flint if the was asked to go to Court and give ship carried contraband.

As the Maritime Commission has stated, he said, one of the most interesting developments as a result of the seizure and taking the vessel to a Russian, port is that it will clarify Russia's real relations with On the night of July 30-31, she! Germany.

A point at issue is the taking of going upstairs, and heard someone the vessel to the supposedly neutral calling loudly for admittance and port of Murmansk,-United Press.

### Flying Gormany Flag

Copenhagen, Oct. 24. by telephone that the City of Flint in the United States shown by Mr. on Saturday was in charge of a Ger- T. B. Wilson to Rotarians at the man prize crew and lay in the outside roads from four to six hours, after which Norwegian ships from the naval base at Tromsoc escorted "Daylights," which leave each the ship to the three-mile limit. it is stated that prize ships are Los Angeles, hold the world record neutral harbours.

### BRITISH WAR NEWS

### Will Be More Prolific In The Future

London, Oct. 24. British operations is conveyed in a galety. Passing luscious orange letter to The Times from Major- groves, the trains speed into the General J. H. Beith, Director of mountains where on each side is Public Relations at the War Office, outspread nature's beauty and answering criticism that German grandeur in its utmost profusion. news and photographs preponderated Finally, through oak-studded hills it in American publications.

among the forms of armaments in versity into San Francisco. which the aggressor has an initial Hearing was adjourned to Novem- and temporary advantage; second, while the British are moving forces third, Hitler's precocious campaign in and comfortable things they are. Poland gave great opportunities for sensational reporting, some of which has done the Allied cause no harm despite Dr. Goebbels' claims; fourth Hitler does not mind telling lies, but

publication, either wholly or in part, after truth," he adds.—Reuter. and Capt. Thursby.

The British members of the crew United Press.

### High Handed Action

New York, Oct. 24. Referring to the reported selzure they brought the ship into Murmansk of the City of Flint, the Herald Tribune says the general feeling in Washington is that Germany, even The Germans claim that the City if she has followed the rules of war, leged to have damaged Torr's car of Flint's cargo, consisting of tractors, made a psychological blunder which grain, fruit, leather and wax was is bound to alienate American public opinion. The seizure is bound to have strong repercussions on the neutrality debate.

> The journal reports that Senator Byrnes, one of the Administration's leading fighters for repeal of the arms embargo, said that on first sight the seizure appears to be a "most high-handed proceeding for which an explanation would undoubledly be demanded."-Reuter.

### No Soviet Statement

Moscow, Oct. 24. The Soviet authorities decline to reveal additional details regarding ship had already left on the return the City of Flint. It is still not known what has become of the United States crew or how the Soviet authorities intend to dispose of the

taken to-day since this is a Soviet Officers of the Emden declare that holiday and all the Commissariats

The Soviet Press emphasises that the City of Flint is detained only saw several men, including Remedios, crew were landed and sent to Ber- emphasis of their country's neutradoubt that the ship will be released as soon as arrangements are made

with the United States authorities. It is expected that a representative Mr. Edward S. Corwin, Professor of the United States Legation will

# Trains

### Rotarians See Picture Of Famous "Daylights"

"Southern Pacific Streamliners" was Tromsoe harbour officials confirm the title of a film on railway travel weekly tiffin meeting yesterday.

Streamlined trains, known as morning from San Francisco and With their prticulated cars, tight-The City of Flint flew the Ger- lock couplings and revolving seats enabling passengers to gain a continuous view of the scenery minus neck-strain, they are the last word in comfort and luxury and afford a striking contrast to the crude coaches of a few years ago.

The picture showed a journey in "Daylight" from Los Angeles to San Francisco—one of the world's most seenic trips. Soon after leaving Los Angeles comes the foaming foreshore of the Pacific, stretching for 100 miles. A rure sight here are oil wells rising out of the sea. Then on to Santa Barbara, a hillside city The assurance of more news of the of spreading palms and Spanish passes along from Paso Robles to Monterey, Santa Cruz and then "That is inevitable," he says, "be- northward through the rich Santa but he appeared reluctant to say, cause in the first place publicity is Clara valley with its famous Uni-

> The picture is a revalation of the tremendous effort that has contributinto position, secreey is indispensable; ed to make these trains the luxurious

Rotarian Brown proposed a vote of hanks to Mr. Wilson.

Dr. Arthur Woo, President, was

in the chair and the following visitors and guests were introduced. General Beith explains that the -Mr. Edward Fung (Nanking). with the forces will have all facilities, Stewart, Capt. Goddard, Dr. John Gray, Messrs. B. H. Smith, W. E. "We never wander near sensation- Denison, R. A. E. Denton, B. T.



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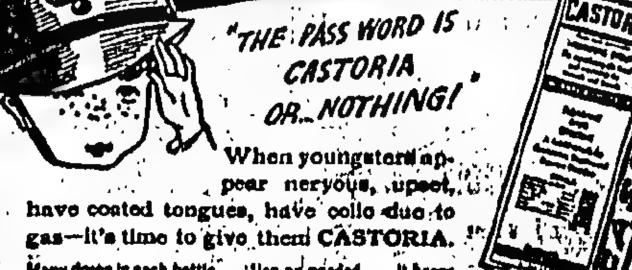
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patiently asked: "Well. What's the

uht for 105."

was carefully scanning the columns,

"Naht so good. . . . Surrey all

here-why not use it?

Military Hospital.

# S'hai Cancel Hockey League: Australians Discuss 1941 Tests

(By "Tinker")

THE DECISION of the Shanghai Hockey Association to suspend their men's league for this season comes as a surprise to Hongkong, where every effort is being made to continue sport despite the troubles which surround us. It is true that the motion was carried by only eight votes to six, which indicates an even division of the birdles and eagles while opinion, but it is hard to believe that the sole basis for suspending the League was because "the big leagues in England had suspended activity."

IT hardly conforms to the express request from Home, that 'the Colonies can best' do their "bit" by continuing normally. The hundreds eager to return Home have been told that they must remain-for the time being, at least, and so the obtained from his superior discontinuance of normal sports functions tends to destroy mornie to an appreciable extent rather than achieve its object as a genuine

gesture of sympathy. Fortunately, only one branch of sport-men's hockey-has taken this step. The women are prosecuting their activities to their utmost. If cricket, football, rugby and the remainder of the games followed suit. a programme of only friendly fixtures could never hope to sustain the interest which is incorporated in the leagues, and what a comparatively dismul sports future it.

IT is a pity, that, as intimated of boxing in Hongkong? in the Shanghai newspapers a little while ago, the United States Morines are unable to make the rugby trip to the Colony. There! was, unfortunately, some sort of a mix-up last year. The Marines were ready to come down at the same time or immediately following, the interport match with the Shanghal R.U.F.C., but Hongkong had received no word that that was the case-apart from what had been printed in the newspapers, and that could not be considered official.

There was no slight intended. The incident recalls the tennis additions have been made by the in 37 holes in that tournament. interport invitation from Shanghai a Hongkong Jockey Club to the Pony "When Henry Pleard re-designed few years ago. Three letters, I Classification Lisis issued on June 20: his game to use the interlocking grip, think there were, were sent to a China Ponies.—Rose Emily and about 14 months ago, he had to begin Post Office box which was no longer Rose Evelyn to "B" Class; Clowner, from the first fundamentals and covered, in the meantime, Shang- Star to "D" Class. hal were convinced to Hongkong's uncouldness, and did not hesitate to say so. However, letters of explanation smoothed the matter out.

AND what has been the effect of At the wor on other parts of the British --- Empire? The Australians are actually discussing the next Test!" cricket series for 1940! India is Cunada, until very recently, was still old member of the Hercules play takes more weight off you than continuing their drive for funds for record - breaking team, scored match. You worry more at medal the Olympic Games, while in Eng- her greatest triumph when she play. At match, you can relax. land, herself, league football and reached John of Groats having didn't lose weight in the P.G.A. land, herself, league football and reached John o' Groats, having was down to raw bone before rugby has been reorganised and games are still going on.

. . . What was that you said about a wart It is cheering to encounter such optimism. The Australian Board of sleep. Cricket Control met recently to discuss the pros and cons of limiting Test play to thirty hours. They evidently have no doubts that an 2 minutes. Her average speed, in-England side will visit them!

They have not, apparently, forgotten the time-limitless Final Test at the Oval last year. For years they have been staunch supporters of such matches, while England was Rugby stuck to hers about limits. That last Test at the Oval, and the final Test between England and South Africa last year brought out the defects of limitless Tests, and the Aussies are now prepared to consider a revision

of opinion. Heigh-ho . . . I'm sure sometime

or other someone said or wrote somes thing about a war.

DO you remember that story about the last war?

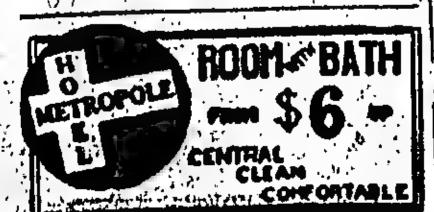
The last war? The crowd collected around the of the newspaper, anxiously

### SPORT ADVTS HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Tenth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 4th November, 1939, (Weather permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Build-The Club House, Happy Valley; The Hong Kong Club; The Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, 26th October, 1939. By Order,

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# GOLFERS TALK

Wednesday,

Going Around With Hagen And Nelson

Cleveland, O., Oct. 2. WITHAT do the professional golfers talk about between striding down a sun-washed fairway? Why, they talk about golf.

Golf gab came in for an old fashioned chin lathering when, the National Open Cnampion, Byron Nelson, and Walter Hagen, one of the greatest and most colourful golfers in history, got together for an exhibition at Ridewood Country Club here.

Provided permission can be The Haig stepped up to the first tee for the opening drive of the match and rapped one smartly down iments can be made with the the fairway 250 yards. He turned Hongkong Boxing Association,

to Nelson. "That's the best shot I've had all

### HINTS FOR ALL

THE two golfing greats ambled L through 18 holes of play meanwhile dropping putts and handy hints alike for Mr. Average Golfer. Are there any sporting pro-"My biggest weakness is in my moters willing to arrange this pivot," said the open champion. match, which should not only haven't got one. But I'll get one

be worth watching, but which ||, some day. "We clubmakers have got to start designing an iron for the 82-and-upgolfer," said Hagen.

### CATERING TO CROWDS

NIELSON missed an easy approach IN shot and Hagen said to him, "Do not worry about a bad score in an see you in trouble than see you get n birdie. It makes the average player happier."

Nelson pondered awhile, but it was

thing had to be changed—backswing. Club has deemed it advisable to withstance pivot, and downstroke—but he was such a good student of the game he did it perfectly. He was and there they lay for Romeo, Royal Highness and start all over," Nelson said. "Everyweeks before being dis- Sylvandale to "C" Class; Popular thing had to be changed-backswing, game he did it perfectly. He was the best iron player in the world two years ago. He is the best iron player in the world to-day. I know. He bent me.

### WORRY OF MEDAL PLAY

MISS MARGUERITE WIL- 66T LOST 12 pounds winning the SON, of Bournemouth, 21-years- Lopen," added Nelson. "Medal accomplished the remarkable started."

feat of riding the 870 miles from Hogen explained his delay Land's End in 2 days 22 hours 52 arriving at the golf course. "The doctor found my temperature minutes, with only three hours at 105,2 last night and told me that I shouldn't play golf or travel. A Miss Wilson beats the record set didn't think I could make it this up by Mrs. Lilian Dredge, of morning. But I knew that if I didn't show up, people would say Uxbridge, by no less than 22 hours that something else was wrong. figured to come down and if cluding all stops, was over 12 miles couldn't play, I'd at least make an appearance and alopogise. I felt so much better on the way I decided, to

> "My chief trouble," said Nelson as he lined up a puit, "is too much 'inside-out' in my swing. But when I feel that clubhead doing that I

### The following have been selected know I'm right. PHILOSOPHIC GOLF

66T IFE is just hitting the ball," Li Hagen interrupted philosophi-"But you got to learn how to enlly.

"A woman has better rhythm than man and has a natural advantage in golf," Nelson mused. "She can develop a nicer short game and she swings the club instead of slugging." Hagen looked out across the rolling hills of the golf course.

Said an unidentified man lurking n the crowd: "I'd like to give those guys

The victorious."D" team which beat "D" in the Stubbs Cup Polo competition at Boundary Street on Monday, Left to right; W. A. Morgan, B. T. C. Ferrest, T. W. Chatley and R. A. M. Hennessy. Staff



The "E" team which heat "C" in the Stubby Cup Polo competition on Monday. Left to right: F. S. Hancock, J. A. Holdsworth, R. J. L. Penfold and R. Gilbertson,—Staff Photographer.

# LEAGUE HOCKEY

# Surprising Decision Made At Annual Meeting

PY a narrow majority of eight votes to six, states the Shanghai Times, it was decided to abandon the annual Men's Hockey League for the coming season, this decision being reached at the Annual General Meeting of the Shanghai Hockey Association held at the Shanghai Cricket Club on October 18. This was undoubtedly the most farreaching resolution made at the meeting and will affect the numerous teams who will be taking an active part in the approaching season.

A prolonged discussion took place to examine the pros and cons of continuing the league under the present disturbed conditions, a ballot was finally taken with the above result.

exhibition. The crowd would rather teams; the same strength which under present conditions. participated in the league last

The following alterations and Henry Picard defeated Nelson one up now be featured in friendly Football League. He remarked that matches, the schedule for which will be issued in the near future.

The Association also has learnt with regret that owing to the Eurowith regret that owing to the Euro- Pate. pean hostilities, the German Hockey

### Marines Unable To Come

The United States Marines in.... Shanghai will be unable to send their rugby team to Hongkong next month, according to a letter received by the Hongkong Football Club from Col. J. C. Fegan, Commander of the Marines.

Col. Fegan says the Marines have been working diligently and enthusiastically, but owing to the European crisis and the recent China situation their programme will be limited to a "hit-or-miss schedule."

The Regiment is unable to spare the 25 men comprising the rugby squad, and in Col. Fegan's opinion, it is possible that the rugger side will be disbanded soon, The Hongkong Football Club

have been requested to shelve the invitation for the moment. Col. Fegan concludes with the remarks that he shares Hongkong's disappointment in not being able to send a team south, a project he had been looking forward to for soveral seasons.

Associate Membership. The latter proposal was accepted by the club representatives present. CHANGES DEFERRED

THE General Meeting was preceded by an Extraordinary General Meeting which was convened for the purpose of considering proposed alterations and additions to the Laws of the Association and the Hockey League.

The proposal was quashed, however, when J. S. Kenyon, a member of the Council, proposed that adoption of the draft of new rules; be deferred until later when more time had been spent in drafting them. The motion was carried unanimously. NEW OFFICERS

IN the new election of officers, I following were elected to serve for the ensuling year:- .

Vice-Presidents:-Capt. J. R. Cole

President:-J. P. Jones.

and K. M. Pate. Member of the Council:-II. A. Fickmer. Honorary Treasurer:- G. F. Mant. Owing to the lack of other nominations, it was decided to let the new

Committee co-opt the three other

members necessary for the full

Council. VOTE AGAINST LEAGUE fight major portion of the meeting I then revolved on the point of whether a league will be held this year. W. G. Clarko, late President of the Association, opened for the opposition with the statement that he.

carrying on with a league, citing the

personally, was not in favour of

THERE is no lacking in enthusiasm, however, as this
year's play could be among 18
likewise discontinue league play VOTE IN FAVOUR

season. Without a league, however, there will be no necessity
for two more available army
for two more available army his mind when he turned to Hagen. clevens. All these sides will it necessary to abandon the local

It was at this stage that Capt. Cole

H. A. Crickmer suggested that friendly games be given a trial this year, as this system had never been tried out before. In order that the question might

be answered; a ballot was token. The result was that six votes were cast in favour of the league, and eight for its abandonment. SUBSCRIPTIONS RAISED

FIHE matter of subscriptions to the Association was next discussed as it has been found that the ground rent in the Race Course has been raised from \$700 to \$840. W. Silvey put forward the plan that, order to meet this increased expenditure, subscriptions for each club should be raised to \$60, for a club entering one team in Association friendly fixtures; \$95 for a club entering two teams; and \$125 for a club

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Deep in concentration, soldiers of "A" company of the 1st/8th Middle-Regiment receive a course of machine-gun handling, part of their routine training.

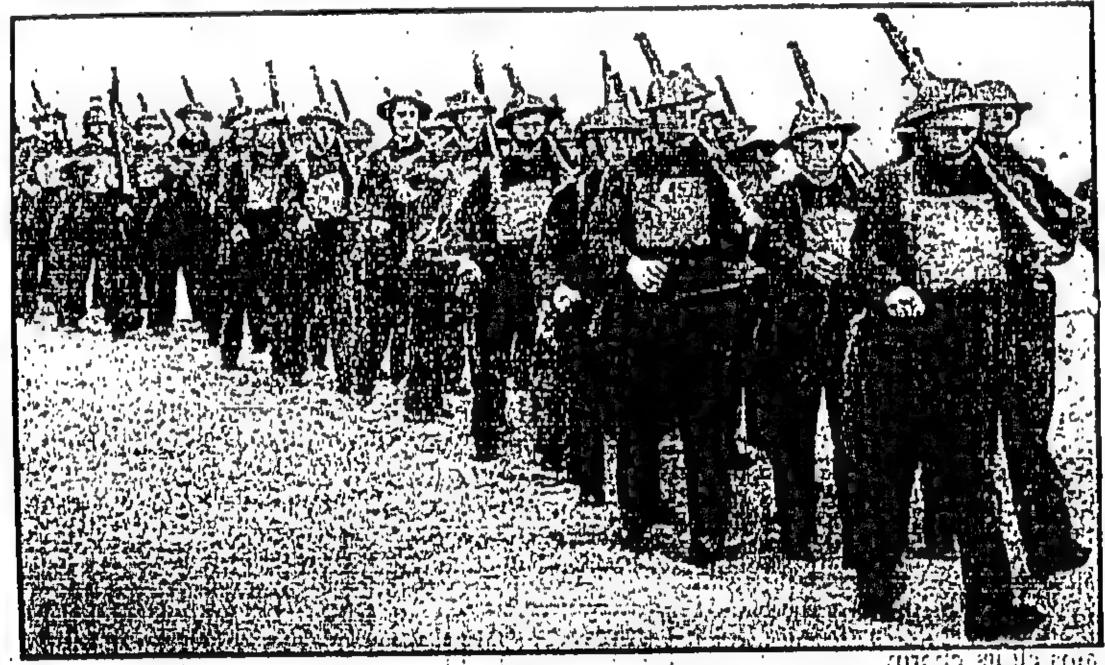


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This Bren gun-carrier crew of the 1st Hertfordshire Regiment adjusts the enterpillar track of one of the tanks. The men are practical mechanics and do their own running repairs.



Tramp-tramp-tramp. Territorials of the 1st Hertfordshire Regiment, complete in battle dress, and marching in the new "form threes" formation, leave Dibgate camp for night operations. Below, soldiers of the 1st Cambridgeshire line up for dinner



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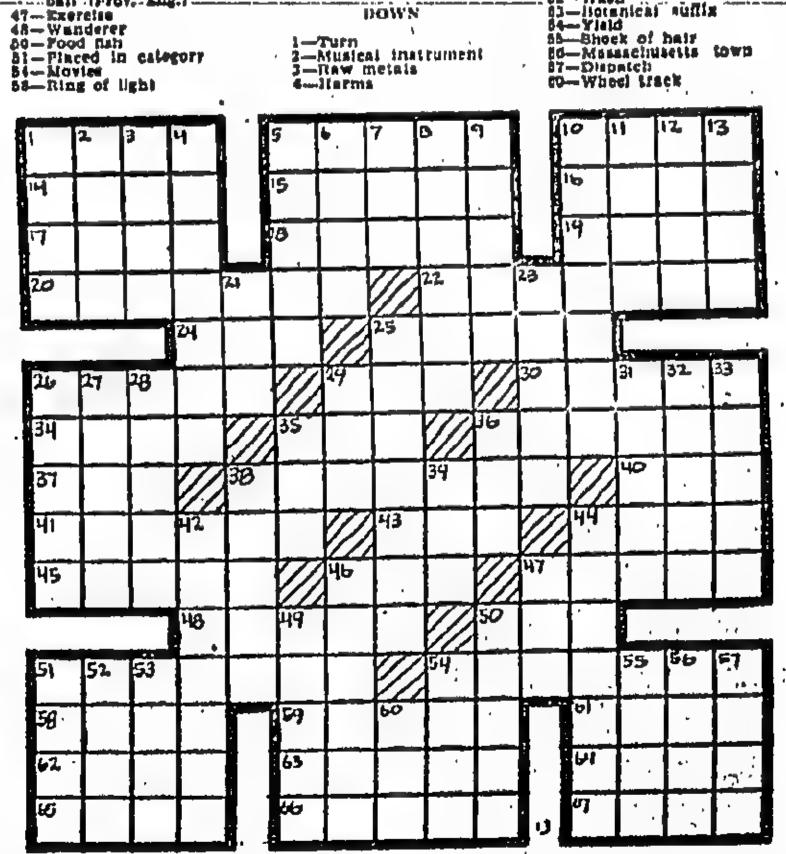
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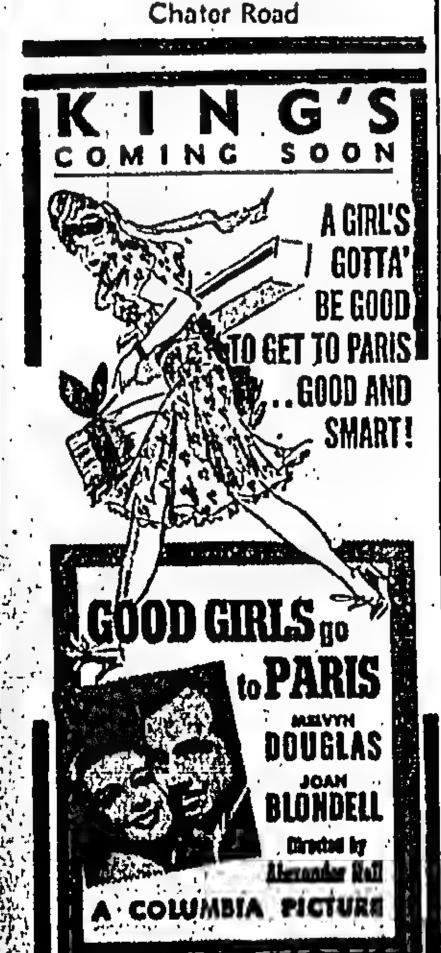


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Of course, you could cut your hair short, but think how long it has taken you to get it exactly the right length. Think how long it will take n new short bob, buby curls or boylsh shingle to grow out again. Change Coiffure

The most sensible thing is to keep its present length, but change your colffure so that it can't whip in the wind, Here is a suggestion for a hair-do that is ideal for the girl ,who wants to look smart and attractive on her vacation and, still keep her versatile and becoming long bob.

The hair is parted at side or centre -wherever it is most becomingand parted again from ear to ear over the crown of the head. It is pulled back off the face, with just a trace of a soft wave, and each side section is caught into a tidy braid which is pinned toward the back of

The hair at the neckline is in round them in place.

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### Signs Say Hard Winter

If you take part in any outdoor more time, you can make partings' activities, you are bound to perspire, every inch or so and apply the tonic and hair that has been dampened with a cotton pad. Remove the exwith perspiration a few times has a ceas moisture with an absorbent towel, brush the hair vigorously, and

to wash your hair, but do manage to give it a brisk workout with a brush every day, and to saturate your scalp with a good tonic after a salt water dip or game of tennis, to cleanse it. Wispy ends to trouble you, and your withstanding the fact that they are you can dip your fingertins in the balk will not less its vibrant and into an illustration of the theory that man is a many-sided creature: Three dealers in alcoholic beverages, not-wispy ends to trouble you, and your withstanding the fact that they are You can dip your fingertips in the hair will not lose its vibrant shoen often caught red-handed, regularly tonic and work it through your hair while you are swimming, sunning consume ice cream sodas, at their

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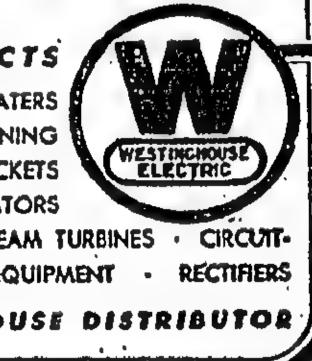
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ing, implified veice breke in on the beace eventually, by fighting, not her to the bottom. against British and French soldiers. Men stumbled from below deck as but against him and his criminal the explosion shook the ship, government. Hitler felt compelled to stumbling in the darkness over "Germany wishes to break the a prolonged war. What Hitler wants What happened there was told by pole, still hestating whether to let in the Security of force."

# Courageous: Last Drama

# Man Dives To Save Swimmers; Boy Smokes As He Waits

CURVIVORS of the Courageous, British aircraft carrier sunk in half an hour by a German submarine, told vivid tales of their ship's last moments when they landed from rescuing destroyers.

A petty officer from a destroyer dived 10 times to rescue exhausted men; an engineer officer raced below while the lower decks were awash, in a desperate effort to trim the ship; a boy seaman smoked a cigarette on deck until the cry,

BY THE EXPLOSION

suppose 12 of them got out.

FIRST ABOUT FRIENDS

Stoker Andrew Logue, of Glasgow,

BURNED, HE ASKED

low?" he exclaimed...

when to jump.

their body belts. BOY OF 15 LED

SINGING ON RAFT

up by a small boat,

they were forced to swim.

they were singing.".

Exeter boy said.

"While I was awimming I saw a

the Courageous was hit.
"I believe I was swimming in oil

for nearly an hour until I was picked

"Even when men were awimming

One of the bonts was sunk in t

rush of water from the Courageous

after going only ha few yards, an

"About 30 men were in her, and

snout 'Every man for himselfl' and,

slipping off my trousers, I wen.

and when I looked round-I saw the

struck out for about 40 yards

of the Courageous, gd right up air, and the ship suddenly.

There was no panie.

"Every man for himself." These were among the stories of heroism by officers, men, and boys, told by the survivors —listed at 681 of a complement of 1,260.

There were men who canny Devonport.

gave advice to each other with "A sneet of fiame streaked across and singing 'Rolling Home.'

the decks awash, carefully my hold as oil caught fire. The "After about 45 minutes throwing away their heavy fumes were choking. Light and stroyer came alongside, and she was clothing and their heavy money, power went off at once. Officers stood by giving ways.
orders, as if for boat-drill, white DECK CAVED IN

Paris. France. Germany says she wants Courageous, a ship of 22,000 and caved in.

A curtous incident in Europe's peace, but she is violating and will tons, one of Britain's seven aircraft carriers, was steaming The ship was rapidly listing to port. I went to the fiving deels which was in favour of the submarine aircraft carriers, was steaming to the fiving deels which was in favour of the submarine aircraft carriers. The ship was rapidly listing to port. I went to the fiving deels which was in favour of the submarine commander so far as weather conditions. I went to the fiving deels which was in favour of the submarine commander so far as weather conditions.

"Hitler knows we shall achieve a danger as within half an hour sent furned over to float on my back of the forms of the first of the forms of the first over to float on my back of the first of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the first over to float on my back of the float over to float on my back of the float over to float over to

There were men who calmly Stoker B. W. Dellow, of James-street, reached a float with a number of

"After about 45 minutes a depower went off at once.

"We all raced up the companior, hardly disturbed the float. We swarmed up ropes to the destroyer's decks, and soon had some hot rum." SEVERAL MEN DIED

### IN JUMPING FREE

Courageous took a number of men

"I dived off the sloping deck, and who were unsuccessful in their turned over to float on my back. "I am sure that a number were Courageous was going down by the killed in their jumps. There were

cries of 'stick it' and 'come along "The starboard rail was still lined here' from fellows who, like myself, with men, many of them in the act had grabbed pieces of floating wood. of jumping overboard. There was "I did see one thing which im-

"I saw the captain alone, saluting "I saw a poor frightened little 15-his flag, as the ship finally went years-old 'sticks' (drummer boy) standing on the deck evidently not Stoker William Britton, of Church- knowing what to do. Then I saw road, Busby, near Glasgow, teils or two men lash him to a raft and a petty officer's feat in saving ten throw him overboard. I hope the poor little devil has come through.

"As for myself, I just swam and "He dived ten times from the destroyer, swam to men who were swam and swam—for three hours. exhausted, and held them up unt.; "And I shall always remember a tary—could be got aboard. There Royal Marine Sergeant who stemed was also a young A.B. who went to cover an enormous distance swim was also a young A.H. who went overboard twice to save a couple o. In men."

Stoker Britton, said that in complete darkness he and some of his plate darkness he and some of his mates groped their way to the top deck. There would be 50 of them in the mess deck, and he did not in the mess deck, and he did not an analysis and an and your heart and your

Leading Telegraphist Edward Collings, of Devonport, curly-haired, 22, told of hundreds of men thronging the starboard side of the ship hoping Immediately after the submarine attack, one stoker, though smother-ted in oil and badly burned, thought to correct the list. "The coolness and the casualness

at first of his comrades.
What about the lads down be unreal. of everyone made the disaster seem "The licutement of our station was giving orders as though we were

going to bont drill." "I stripped off everything except Collings was picked up by

shorts and singlet. I was going over destroyer after he had been swimthe side while the ship was still ming for half an hour.

The crowds of women—wives, moving, but some older men who had been in the last war told me to wait a bit and they would tell me sweethearts, sisters of the men of Courageous—kept vigil for news of survivors until the early hours of

"Everybody was perfectly cool and men had got rid of heavy clothing men had got rid of heavy clothing before diving into the sea.

"As the men waited to go overabound they calmly counted their board they calmly counted their money, throwing away the coppers and tucking silver and notes into the coppers with a Union Jack had been a rating of the control of the gates.

The dead man whose coffin was borne on a gun-carriage and covered with a Union Jack had been a rating of the control of the gates. of a destroyer.

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Somewhere near Cracow . . . Pictures of one of the many German air fleets on a day's assignment in the "blitzkrieg" . . . the schedule of lightning war.

Somewhere near Bromberg (Polish Corridor) ... First pictures with the Reich's land army in Poland. High-speed tanks and motorized infantry move up for the encirclement of

Nowest pictures from Danzig . . . Nazi-fied! The "Free City", which was the focal point

at the start of hostilities, gots increased German garrisons. The bombardment of Westerplatte Fort at the edge of Danzig. German training ship "Schleswig-Holstein" in ceaseless attack on the fortress, where "suicide battalion" holds

out nearly a week before surrendering. First pictures from bombed Warsaw, made by Paramount News American Cameramon and passed by Polish Censor. The Polish Capital shrinking from the terror of acrial

down the ship's side on a rope and

# AFTER FEVER CARE During fever, the whole system.

float with men on her. One of them

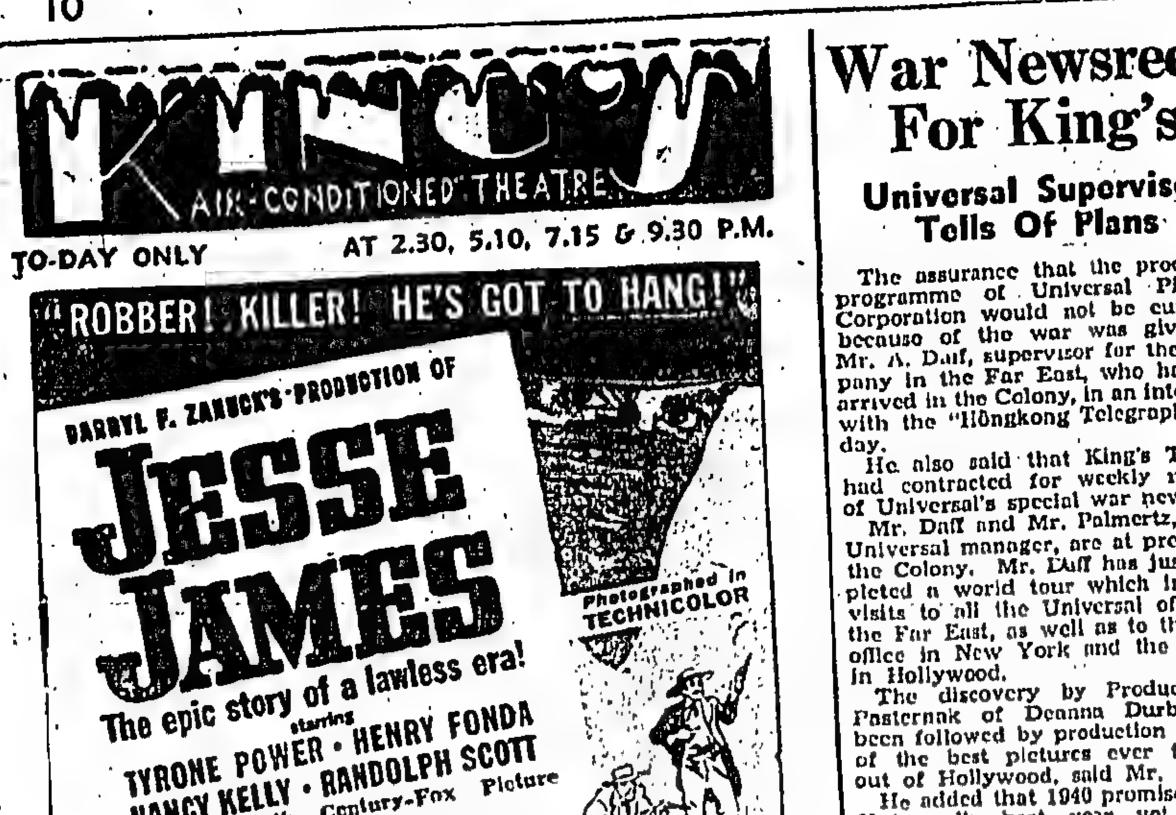
he seemed a k.d of about, 15—
shouted 'Come on lads!, what about
a song?' and they all began to sing A 16-years old, John Desmond Wells, son of a Senton (Davon) widow, was in his hammock when undermined and weakened. Convalescence will be hastened in tissue can be quickly rebuilt and strength restored by building up reserves. The patient must be encouraged to take as much nourishing food as the capacity, of the weakened digestive organs "Meanwhile, I waited on deck and smoked a cigarette. Then I heard



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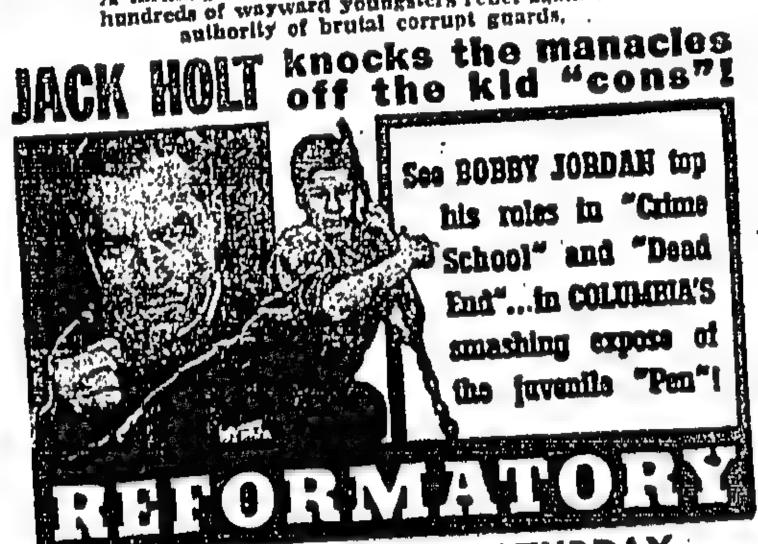
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TO-MORROW SHOWING FOR ONE COOPEL A United Artists Picture

### War Newsreels, For King's Universal Supervisor

The assurance that the producing programme of Universal Pictures Corporation would not be curtailed because of the war was given by Mr. A. Daif, supervisor for the company in the Far East, who has just arrived in the Colony, in an interview with the "Hongkong Telegroph," to-

He also said that King's Theatre had contracted for weekly releases of Universal's special war newsreels. Mr. Daff and Mr. Palmertz, China Universal manager, are at present in the Colony. Mr. Duff has just completed a world tour which included visits to all the Universal offices in the Far East, as well as to the head office in New York and the studios

The discovery by Producer Joe Pasternak of Denna Durbin had been followed by production of some of the best pictures ever to come out of Hollywood, sald Mr. Daff. He added that 1940 promised to be Universal's best year yet. Apart from Dennna Durbin, Universal, had secured such stars as Charles Boyer, Mariene Dietrich, James Stewart, Margaret Sullavan, Cary Grant, Loretta Young, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., Herbert Marshall, Joan Bennett, and, for "thrillers," Basil Rathbone, Horis Karloff, and Bela Lugosi. The line-up of comedy - stars in-

cluded W. C. Fields, Mac West, Mischa Auer, and Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy, A new producing unit had been

ndded to Universal's roster for the coming year, namely Harry Edington productions. As agent, Mr. Edington productions, personal contract such Jeanette stars as Marlene Dietrich, Jeanette MacDonald, and Edward G. Robinson. Glorin Jenn, 11-year-old songstress discovered by Joe Pasternak, was being groomed to take the juvenile place of Deanna Durbin and would make her debut in "The Under-Pup." Deanna would be east in more grownup, romantic roles and would be seen in Hongkong soon in "First Love. Then she would make "It's a Date."

Pictures which Dr. Daff rattled off at Kowloon Dock. es on Universal's big list included .starring Sigrid Gurle; "Invisible Man Returns;" "Tower London," starring Bosil Rathbone and Boris Karloff; "Victoria Docks at Eight," and "Friday the 13th."

# **ENVOY** RECALLED

Tokyo, Oct. 24. Kurusu, Japanese

Ambassador to Belgium, transferred to Berlin to succeed Lieut.-General Hiroshi Oshima, who has been recalled home, Domei learned from authoritative sources. relieved of his post to become the Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs in the Manchukuo Government.

Shanghal, Oct. 24.

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organising of additional Mobile Units to travel anywhere is absolutely urble Manchukuo Government.

Pelping from Sinsiang in north Mr. Shigenori Tashiro, Japanese

Lieut.-General Hiroshi Oshima, Mr. the ground belonging to the Amer-Japanese warplanes.
Shigenori Togoh, Japanese Am- ican Catholic Mission Society of To organise such Instance at Moscow, and Mr. Saburo Divine Word and have begun to erect mobile units, Dr. Wang pointed out. German capital on Saturday and said that they would pay some sola- plies and motor vehicles.—Central tium for the land thus taken, but at News, Sunday.

The Japanese envoys, according to the Berlin dispatch, agreed Japan's Chenliu. Honan, when in the course policy in Europe should be formulated of an anti-British demonstration with the utmost caution to meet the ever-changing situation in Europe. on October 28 for Japan vin Naples tiles which are being met by Ameriand America.-Domei.

# For Discussion

The agenda for the meeting of the Legislative Council to-morrow includes a motion by the Attorney to that of Principal Surveyor of The first rending of "A Blil

amend the Promissory Oaths Ordinance, 1869" will also be presented.
Second and third readings are: "A Bill to amend further the Volunteer Ordinance, 1933" and "A Bill to provide for the maintenance of reserve stocks of commodities which would be essential for the vital needs of the community during war or other public emergency; for the registration of importers of such commodities and for purposes incidental to or connected with the matters aforesaid."



With gus mark across shoulder and wearing uniform of marshal of Royal Air Force, King George visits a Royal Air Station. Sir Hugh Dowding, commander-in-chief, at right,

# Kowloon

A very quiet wedding took place at St. Andrew's Church yesterday, when Miss Talsa Zilgalv, of Jordan Road, became the bride of Mr.

high neckline and long siceves, and king recently. her white tuite veil was held in place Dr. Wang mentioned the Medical quet was of white gladioli.

away in marriage, and Dr. C. C.

Rev. J. R. Higgs officiated and Mr. Rupert Baldwin was at the organ. spent, Mrs. Moors wore a white en- set up non Chandles in addition semble with a bolero, white broadbrimmed hat, and white accessories.

### AMERICA-JAPAN Movement Against Christians

A Berlin message says that the Honan, where it is reported that the by the Red Cross workers, coupled utgoing Ambassador, at Berlin, Japanese authorities have confiscated with the horrors of bombing by Nurusu, Ambassador-designate to their own building on the site. two principal elements are found Serlin, met in a conference at the It is stated that the Japanese have lacking or insufficient; medical sup-

some future and undetermined date. This, plus the recent incident at windows of a Mission house were Threat of German Attack ver-changing situation in Europe. broken and an American flag was General Oshima is leaving Berlin torn down, and other slight difficulcan missions in various parts of North China are leading many to suppose that the movement which AGENDA FOR COUNCIL began as a political and anti-British movement is gradually but surely Two New Bills to Come Up developing into a Japanese unti-Christian mission movement all over have voluntarily joined the Falk-North China -- Reuter.

### American Marines

Shanghai, Oct. 24. office of Government Marine Surveyor Horal Court and the Interna- of the Islands in accordance with to marines will arrive here shortly German funds were used for finanfrom Santiago,-International.

# NATIONAL RED CROSS

### Need For Additional Mobile Units Stressed

A brief survey of the work of the Heinrich Leonard Moors, an engineer National Red Cross Society of China was given by Dr. C. T. Wang, pre-The bride were a wedding gown of yident of the Society, in an interwhite crepe satin, slim fitting, with a view upon his return from Chung-

by a small cluster of orange blossoms Relief work now being carried on by pinned high on her head. Her bou- the Red Cross Medical Corps, commanded by Dr. Robert K. S. Llin, Mr. Th Zilgalv gave his daughter Director of the Medical Relief Comaway in marriage, and Dr. C. C. mission. A report from Dr. Lim Petrovsky undertook the duties of states 49 ambulances received from pest man. Hongkong have recently reached their destinations in Kwangtung. Rupert Baldwin was at the organ. Kwangsi, and Kweichow, and that When the couple left for Repulse a 9th new depot and store for to eight such depots and stores al-

ready established. His recent inspection and survey of the various Red Cross Medical Corps in and around Chungking, Dr. Wang said, gave him the impression and belief that medical relief work in war-torn China to-day has actually made marked improvement.

Dr. Wang emphasized that the

### FALKLAND ISLANDS

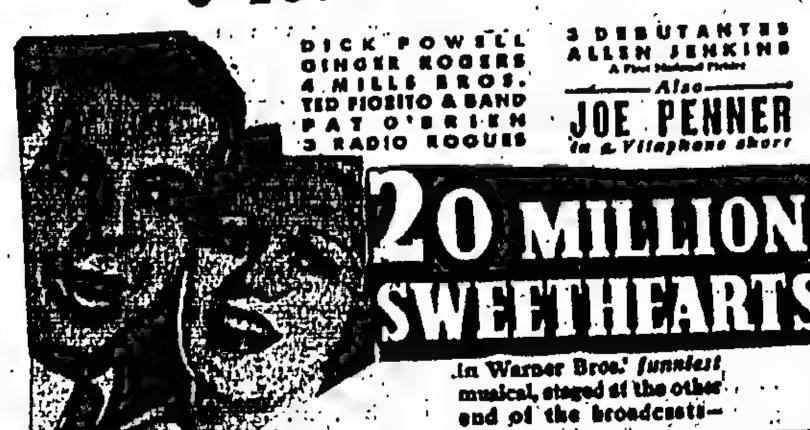
# Calls Forth Volunteers

Buenos, Aires, Oct. 24. Colonel R. E. Russell, attache at the British Embassy, stated following rumours that German vessels are planning to raid the Falidands, 20 or 30 Englishmen in Bucnes Aires Government has in no way assisted

their passage to the Falklands.
The nationalist groups have distributed a few posters in Buenos As an indication that the United Aires streets demanding the return

port is current that more American An afternoon paper charges that leing the groups,-United Press.





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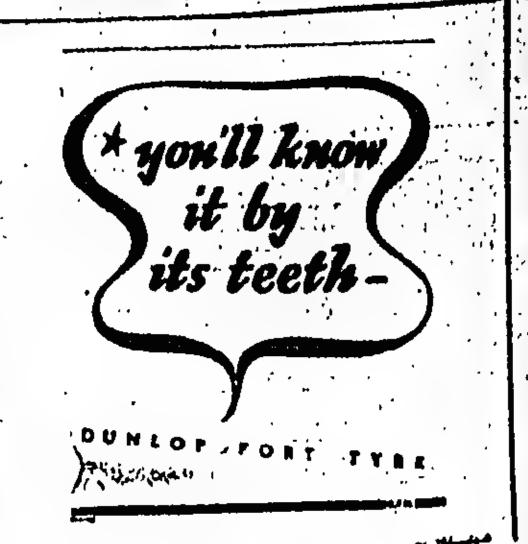
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# REPORTED U-BOAI

# RUTHLESS "LET THEM DROWN" NAZI ORDER

AMONG THE LARGE NUMBER OF PASSENGERS DROWNED WHEN A U-BOAT TORPEDOED THE 10,200-TON BIBBY LINER YORKSHIRE WERE OVER A HUNDRED BRITISH SOLDIERS AND AIRMEN PROCEEDING TO ENGLAND FROM INDIA AND THE FAR EAST, ACCORDING TO THE LONDON "DAILY EXPRESS", QUOTED BY "REUTER".

Belief that some of the men and families from the Far East who lost their lives may have been portion of the personnel which departed from Hongkong by the troopship Ettrick just before the outbreak of war is discounted by the military authorities in Hongkong.

The Ettrick, it will be recalled, disembarked its passengers at an Indian port.

The Yorkshire was en route from India to Liverpool when she was torpedoed.



A military spokesman told the "Telegraph" this light Saving at short notice, he afternoon: "We cannot definitely deny the London report that some of the passengers aboard the Yorkshire were the Colony, which would mean adfrom Hongkong, but we are reasonably certain that all endeavour to reduce imports of coal the embarcations were from India and that there were none from the Far East.

Dastardly Order .

(quoted by "Reuter") the Com-

were struggling in the water, to

The American captain refused to

The rescue work was carried out

Survivors declare that the crew of

An American sailor shouted to the

Aeroplanes

OSLO, Oct. 25 (Reuter) -Norway

has doubled her order placed last

obey the terrible death-sentence im-

drown.

in complete darkness.

SIX SHIPS been of officers attached to the DESTROYED Indian Army. They were recalled Home for service.

### **U-Boat And Mine** Victims Reported

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Oct. 25 (UP).—The 7,256ton British steamer Clan Chisholm; The 2,474-ton British steamer Menin

The British freighter Ledbury; The British steamer Eninridge; The 5,012-ton Greek steamer Konstantinos Hadjipateras;

posed by the U-Boat commander, and A German mine-sweeper, These are the latest victims continued to pick up the survivors. of submarines and mines in the

Atlantic and North Sea. Twenty-two members of the crew of the Menin Ridge have been lost, the American rescue ship were in-The remainder were saved by the censed at the ruthlessness of the American steamer Crown City, which German order, a few hours earlier had rescued the

erew of the Ledbury.

The crew of the Eninridge have also Hall, they state, "saw red." been rescued. Fifteen members of the crew of U-Boat Commander: "I'll get into the Greek steamer rowed ashore and this war within a week. We'll sweep

several others were picked up by you-s off the sea." another ship. Three members of the crew and the English pilot are miss-The German mine-layer, which

struck a mine off the Dutch coast. lost 21 of her crew and several others are missing. Only five persons were saved. The name of the vessel is believed to be the Este.

Sir, Edward Wilshaw, R.c.M.o., August for 12 American fighter Chairman of Cable & Wireless, Ltd., planes. has accepted an invitation from Government to join the Ministry of pocted to arrive in Norway shortly for his cartoons. Information, Advisory Council, which The British firm has promised to He is leaving San Francisco on the arrival of the Havelland. he is now attending in an honorary deliver them within the time slipu- November 4 abourd the N.Y.K. liner lated in the contract.



### DAYLIGH SAVING

Bill To Be Rushed Through Council

AN ENABLING BILL, giving the Government nower to introduce at any time, specific meusures for Daylight Saving in the Colony, will be introduced and passed through all three stages in the Legislative Council tomorrow, the Government spokesman told a "Telegraph" representative this morning.

The Bill will be non-committal, but will give Government dormant power to introduce Day-

The object of Daylight Saving in

### Strong Opposition

Strong opposition to Government's "All the names of casualties proposals have been voiced by the we have thus far seen have Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce in reply to a communication from Government outlining its

On the other hand leading Colony sportsmen welcome the proposals as the extra light available would bene-According to the "Daily Express", fit after office games.

At a meeting held last evening the mander of the U-Boat which sank Committee of the Chamber conthe Yorkshire ordered the captain sidered the proposal to advance the of the American rescue ship, the clock 30 minutes as from November Independence Hall, to leave 100 1, with the hope of reducing imports British soldiers and airmen, who of coal from non-sterling countries. Coal importers have informed the Chamber that between 60 to 70 per cent, of the cenl imported into Honggoes into ships bunkers. About 20 per cent, is used in large power plants, but not all of this comes from non-sterling countries. Half on hour's saving of current a night would be cancelled out to some extent by earlier use of current in the mornings during the winter and PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

### The Captain of the Independence Believe It Or Not" Ripley Due Here

ROBERT L. RIPLEY, creator "Sunday Express" in London

was received from San Francisco this ports.



. PATSHAN INCIDENT IN PHOTOGRAPHS.-A passenger abourd the Fatshan took these remarkable pictures after the ship was run ashere yesterday to prevent her from sinking. Picture above shows passengers, with lifebelts donned, waiting anxiously on deck as the Faishan rushed towards the beach of Lin Tin Island, where she was grounded with six feet of water in her hold. Lifebelts were later discarded when it was seen that the ship would not sink. Below shows passengers transferring from the Fatshan to a British warship.

# German Liner Escapes

MANZANILLO, Mexico, Oct. 24 (UP).—The 6,300of the famous "Believe It Or ton Hamburg-Amerika cargo and passenger steamer have been trading" is a typical Alabaster, who will introduce the Not" cartoons published in the Havelland arrived here to-day with a cargo of Philippine and syndicated throughout the sugar, copra and coconut oil, seeking transhipment to an world, is to re-visit Hongkong in American vessel for delivery to Galveston, New Orleans orders.

A "Dome!" message to this effect and other North Atlantic customary exchange of salutes the Havelland raised the Netherlands noust export or we die!"

Mr. Ripley previously visited The U.S.S. gunboat Eerie, of Mr. Ripley previously visited The U.S.S. gunboat Eerie, or her to raise her real flag, whereupon the Special Squadron, also arriving the Havelland hoisted the Nazi ban-Six, on order from Britain, are ex- for four days scarching for material ed on a courtesy visit soon after ner.

The United States' gunboat asked

# Latest Russian Demands

### Finnish Delegates Seek Instructions

HELSINGFORS, Oct. 24, (UP).—It is officially announced imposed silence on politics, that M. Passikivi, and the Nitti said in an interview Finance Minister, M. Tanner, that the Soviet-German acture returning from Moscow tonight for new instructions re- cord released Italy from all garding Russia's latest demands. obligations except those They stressed that this does not dictated by her own selfmean that the negotiations are interest. stalemated.

It is understood in well- Britain and France are certain informed quarters here that the Finnish-Russian situation has by no means been aggravated as a consequence of the interruption in the Moscow talks.

The new Soviet proposals are be-lieved to suggest an alternative to the solution of the military security problem which is alleged to have occupied a good deal of yesterday's discussion.

The Finnish delegation to Moscow did not carry out any official functions There were no discussions with

ither M. Stalin or M. Molotoff. Only M. Passikivi and M. Tanner are returning to Helsingiors, the other delegates remaining in Moscow.

### Soviet's New Demands

HELSINGFORS, Oct. 24 (Reuter). -M. Passikivi and the Finnish Fin- militarily with the Nazis. ance Minister were to return to-night .... Nitt., now. 71, fled, from Italy upon from Moscow with the new Soviet the advent of Fascism, Author, law-

will remain in the Soviet enpital. sold to-day that there was nothing | M nister of the Interior 'n 1919-70. plarming in this move. Negotiations "I am sincerely persuaded that Italy would go on, but it was not certain should not, and cannot, go in on the whether they would be through M. side of Germany if logic still exists," Passiviki or through normal ciplo- he said. matic channels.

### Britain And Neutrals Regulating Trade During War

LONDON, Oct. 25 (Reuter),-Belgium, Norway, Sweden and conversation for the purpose of gulating trade under war conditions. Discussions are proceeding very ters opposition. smoothly and the countries concerned show a genuine desire to co-operate. Discussions for increasing trade are also in progress with Soviet Russia. Britain, of course, fears that goods sold to Russia might be resold Germany, and it is believed Russians appreciate this point will ask only for goods that they need for their own use.

### Effect Of War On Trade

The effect of the war on trade in some sections is shown by the Seandinavian coal figures.

Observers here comment that it the Colony is longer in the summer does not appear that the Germans are than in the winter, it is considered their self-proclaimed "command of the North Sea." "While they have been talking, we

Great difficulties are reported in Germany in maintaining the quality of exports, and even in fulfilling And Hitler himself has said: "We

SAYS EXILED PREMIER SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" PARIS, Oct. 25 (UP)— Signor Francisco Nittin, exiled Italian ex-Premier, believes that Italy cannot remain neutral much longer

Italy

Will

Join

of Germany. Ending a long, self-

and that she does not dare

to enter the war on the side

Nitti believes that Great to defeat Germany, and, in any

### NEUTRALITY FOR ITALY?

LONDON, Oct. 25 (Reuter). -The French wireless announces that blackouts will coase in the French districts along the Franco-Italian bor-

This, the announcer said, shows the confidence in Italy's neutrality.

case, Italy cannot afford to side

yer and educator, he served as Minis-The rest of the Finnish delegation for of Agriculture, Industry and Commerce in 1911-14. Minister of The Finnish Government spokesman | Finance in 1917-19 and Premier and

> "Never in the course of the centuries has a threat weighted upon PLEASE Turn To Page 7.

### LATEST

### TO PASS ALL STAGES

The Bill to provide for the intro-Latvia are among the neutral coun- duction of Daylight Saving Time in tries with whom Britain is now in Hongkong (See Page 1) will pass through all three stages in Legislative Council to-morrow, unless it encoun-It provides that the Legislative

Council may, from time to time, declare by resolution that the mean time of some other meridian east of Greenwich shall be used as standard time in the Colony, in which case, and for so long as the resolution remains in force, the expression "stand-.. ard time" shall have the meaning assigned to it in the resolution. The Bill, if passed, will enable

standard time in the Colony to be regulated by resolution of Legislative Council, so that daylight saving may be effected without regard to the senson of the year as it has been in and Sweden have increased by 150 the United Kingdom since the pasper cent, and to Denmark by 125 per sage of the Summer Time Act of cent.

"Although the daylight period in getting any great advantages from that terms daylight saving may be effected by advancing standard time throughout the year," states the Attorney General, Hon. Mr. C. G.

> See Back Page For Further Late News

The Havelland was in Manila LONDON, Oct. 24 (UP), The Polish Embassy in London By a coincidence the Eerie met the shortly before the outbreak of war. has ordered the general mobilisation of Poles residing in Britain."

Havelland near Oaxaca and after the She was built at Hamburg in 1921. has ordered the general mobilisation of Poles residing in Britain.

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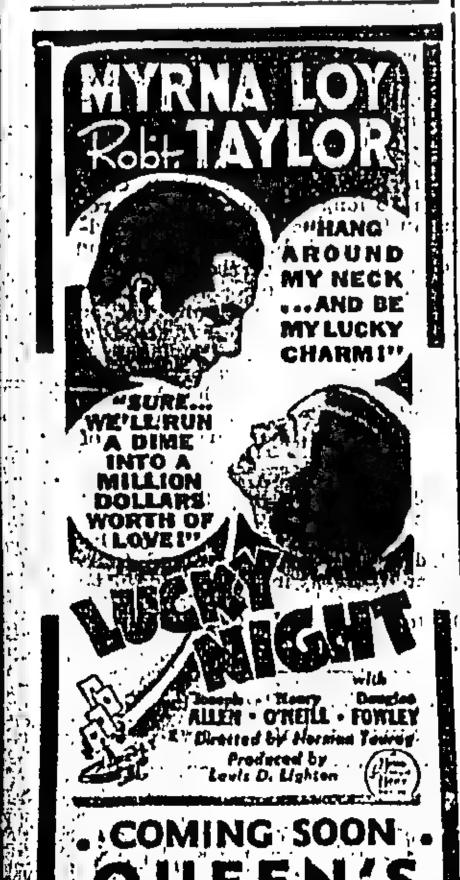
The Editor. Hungkong Telegraph.

\_\_Sir.\_At\_the invitation of Mr. H. R. Butters, Labour Officer, Indian' merchants met at his office on Saturday and discussed hours of employ- Air Mail by "Imperial Airways ment. Owners of silk stores promised to consider the matter which is now being discussed by the parties concerned.

tion in public or in the Press. While Japan .................Oct. 30. having full sympathy with the Straits .......................Oct. 30. employees, we should also not shut our eyes to some of the difficulties which the employers have. H. M. PARWANT.

### Premier's Audience

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—His Majesty the King received Mr. Chamberlain, the Prime Minister, in audience to-night



# FOR THE PROTECTION OF

CHILDREN What to do to help a child

has been assaulted, neglected, or ill-treated in a manner likely to cause unnecessary suffering or injury to health, or knowing of a parent who is seeking advice on any matter

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Small Packet Post to all countries ls suspended.

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In the meantime, I take this op- Japan and Shanghai ......Oct. 29. portunity to request those who have | Manila ................Oct. 29. to stny their hands and cease agite- Shanghal and Amoy ......Oct. 29.

OUTWARD MAILS

Wednesday, Oct. 25 Bangkok 4.30 p.m. Shanghai, U.S.A., Central and South America and Canada via San Francisco, (No Parcels for Canada) Flint. -due San Francisco, 10th Nov. Parcels, .....Oct. 25, 4 p.m. Reg., ..... Oct. 25, 5 p.m.

Ord., .....Oct. 25, 5.30 p.m. G.P.O. Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu conference. and U.S.A., by the "Pan American Francisco, 1st November.

G.P.O. Reg. ......Oct. 25, 5 p.m Reg. ..... Ort. 26, 7.30 a.L. Thursday, Oct. 26 Fort Bayard ............3.30 p.m. Halphong ...... 1 p.m. Shanghai Priday, Oct. 27

Swatow and Shanghai ....3.30 p.m. Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island-due Thursday Island 9th November. K. P. O. .....5.30 p.m. G. P. O.

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Burday. Oct. 29:

Shanehai and Parcels Conty for

November.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter), -The United States Government is

# United States May Protest at Detention of Ship WHAT CITY OF FLINT WAS CAPTURED COULD BY FAMED RAIDER'S NAMESAKE.

LONDON, Oct. 25 (Reuter).—Norwegian despatches reveal that the City of Flint was captured by the German cruiser Emden. Germany is known to have one or two armed merchantmen operating as sea-raiders, but this is the first

indication that one of her warships has been on the high

Must Roturn Ship

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—The liveliest discussion is aroused on the legal aspects of the detention of the City of Flint in Russia.

Hopes are expressed that the incident will serve to clarify the generni attitude of the Soviet. Mr. Silns Axtell, the Admiralty replied in the negative, lawyer, declared that unless Russia | He added that he hoped to get the desires to come out openly on the City of Flint back. side of Germany she must return

Jurisprudence at Princeton Univer- received instructions to ask the sity, asserted that if Russia maintains German Government for a full exher neutrolity the United States may planation of the seizure of the City is a belligerent, then vessels carrying Board. contraband to Russia will be subject. At present the German Admiralty to seizure by the Allies.

port in case of bad weather, damage Liverpool and Glasgow.

crew of the City of Flint and said the Yesterday she arrived at the Guif Central Kuomintana vosterday. De i State Department would like to learn of Koln (in which Murmansk, is H. H. Kung, the Chinese Finance of their whereabouts.

of a limited quantity. The items crow of 18 men. were included in Germany's list of It is not known whether the situation. absolute contraband, but probably original American crew was still than half the cargo was aboard. conditional contraband.

all rights for itself and its nationals under the International Law and that the American Ambassador to Moscow

full facts of the case. the vessel was taken by a belligerent the present laws.

of Flint was taken to Russia.

vestigate the report of the circum- sailed for British ports. stances surrounding the capture of the steamer City of Flint.

Mr. Early drew attention to, the fact that under the pending Neutrality Bill, the vessel could not have sailed for a belligerent port but declined to analyze the legal complications in-volved. He explained that the State Department was exploring the legal phases and that the White House had nothing to add at present.

For Priza Court? BERLIN, Oct. . 24 (UP) -It learned that the Prize Court at Hamburg, the Admiralty, the War Ministry and the Foreign Office have all replied to the inquiries from the United States Government to the information regarding the City of

Mr. Cordell Hull's Statement: WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). -More than half the City of Flint's cargo was probably conditional contraband and a small part probably absolute contraband, declared Mr Parcels, .....Oct. 25, 4 p.m. Cordell Hull, the U.S. Secretary of

He declined to state what action Lupac, northwest of Canton. Airways Direct Service"-due San the Government might take. He said

Information received indicated that a German crew flag replaced the American flag. U.S. Wants Explanation

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). -The State Department has instructed the Embassy in Berlin to ask for a full explanation of the reported selzure of the City of Flint. Political Comment

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25 (Reuter). highway has been taken back by the of Forbach. City of Flint, Senator Connains to Japanese military notes the Warndt Forest, the Germans to the United States dollar, minded the Senate that shipping re- in occupied areas in Kwangtung have Warndt Forest, the Germans to the United States dollar, strictions in the proposed Neutrality registered a heavy slump, \$1' being launched a determined attack Bill would prevent a recurrence of quoted at only 30 cents national cur-

Mr. T.; C. Hennings, a member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, expressed the belief that the seizure of the City of Flint would lose few Waiting For Nows

still trying to find out from Russia -A captive balloon which escaped , "During the latter part of last night cent decigration concerning the fudrinks of the seizure of the City of from her moorings at Wilhelmshaven and to-day, there were raids and ture of India's constitution was "un-. Flint, but no information is yet reglanded here to-day. ceived of the whereabout of the crew, A notice was attached to the bal- were fairly sharp engagements to- vecable. President Roosevelt stated at a Press lood warning, in the German, with south easiern border of the The Congress Working Committee's 

status as a private vessel as far as seizure was concerned. He added that a report was received from the United States Ambassador in Moscow that all the facts about the seizure are not yet known Asked whether he had authority

under the existing law to order American ships: to stay away from the wor zones, President Rossavelt

May Soon Be Freed LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—The Mr. Edward Corwin, Professor of United States Embassy in Berlin has

seizure by the Allies.

It is pointed out that a neutral The City of Flint was seized on ship seized in such circumstances Saturday by a German cruiser while could only be taken to a neutral she was on her way from America to H. H. Kung Reviews The

to the vessel or lack of provisions. | She was taken to the Norwegian Concern For Liner . | port of Tromso, but put to sea again ! WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP).- two hours later, and Norwegian Reviewing the international as well The Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell sailors say they saw her hoist the as the Sino-Japanese situation at the

situated) flying the Nazi flag. He said the vessel carried some The Soviet authorities promptly fifty assorted commodities but only detained her and a German prize much anxiety concerning possible

The Soviet authorities state that that the European war has had He emphasised that the State the detention is only temporary and unfavourable effects on China,"

Department is gathering information American circles in Moscow believe stated. from Moscow and Berlin and Oslo. that arrangements will soon be made He laid greater emphasis on the to enable her to sail again. The fact that the United States reserved Germans claim that she carried controband cargo. Perfectly Legal Voyage

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). is seeking an appointment with the President Reosevelt's Press Steret- their sympathy and assistance to the Burntisland S.B. Co., Lid., at nry, Mr. Stephen Early, said to-day China increased. Mr. Hull said that apparently the that the City of Flint was on a perquestion of force was involved since feetly legal and lawful voyage under

He drew attention to the fact that the State Department was the Japanese militarists."

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Router).-A special commentary to-day states that German air losses in convoy action have been entirely ignored in German broadcasts.

For instance, five German aircraft were lost in the raid on a convoy off the Humber on October 21. This was not mentioned by any German wireless.

The fact that the British sustained, no losses in the recent engagements seems to show the definite superiority of the British fighting machines.

Gorman mines have sunk two more neutral ships, one Swedish and one Greek.

# protest and demand the return of the of Flint, the 6,501-ton liner which is ship, but if Russia indicates that she owned by the United States Shipping is a belligerent, then vessels carrying Board. Helps China

Situation CHUNGKING, Oct. 24 (Reuter). Minister, declared that the outbreak of the European war resulted in consequences in the Far Eastern

But "events since then have shown

### Assistance Increases

Minister stated that friendly Powers was constructed by the Greenock continued to be greatly concerned Dockyard Co., Ltd., at Greenock. with the Far Eastern situation while The Menin Ridge, built in 1924 by

Dr. Kung particularly mentioned Mr. Joseph Grew's speech as an the vessel was taken by a benigerent. Asked whether International Law "effective pronouncement in the The United States Maritime Comerew and a new crew had been Asked whether International Law "effective pronouncement in the The United States Maritime Comcrew and a new crew man flag permitted Germany to sail the ship interests of international justice, and mission announced that the American installed and the belligerent flag permitted Germany to sail the ship interests of international justice, and mission announced that the American into a neutral port. Mr. Early said at the same time a severe blow to steamer. Crown City, rescued five

### to their own ports, whereas the City American representatives abroad to After recalling recent. Chinese entire crew of the freighter Ledbury. Mr. Early added that the Depart- Mr. Early pointed out that under North Klangsi and South Shansi Atlantic, ment of State has cabled its repre- neutrality legislation new being dis- provinces, Dr. Kung stressed the Twenty-two members of the crew sentatives abroad to immediately in- cursed, the City of Flint could not be stability of the Chinese political and of the Menin Ridge were lost.

# the said that the vessel was on a perfectly legal and lawful voyage under the existing United States AROUND CANTON

ON THE KWANGTUNG FRONT, Oct. 25 (Central).-Presaging renewed activity in Kwangtung, over 10,000 Japanese reinforcements are reported to be massed in Canton.

effect that they have not received any Some 2,000 have been dispatched up the West River to the Samshui sector and 1,000 to Shenkong, south of Tsungfa.

Extensive Japanese movements between Canton and other 1 pints along its outer defence lines are also reported.

Japanese scouts have been Ord., Oct. 25, 5 p.m. State, to-day in a lengthy discussion found busy inspecting the roads WESTERN FRONT

A concentration of Japanese the incident was apparently moving warships is said to have been in the direction of prize court pro-Reg. .....Oct. 25, 5 p.m. ceedings and in this case it was a sighted off Wangmoon. Chinese Ord. .....Oct. 25, 5.30 p.m. matter of force from the beginning to defence units are taking pre-

> -Military dispatches from the Sunwul sector reveal that Chinese troops have again broken into Sunwui city. They started several fires in the city.

# German Captive Balloon Adrift

MARKELY, Holland, Oct. 24 (UP). munique states:

### AMBUSHES AND RAIDS

Nazi Counter Attack On Village Fails

The bulk of the Chinese force at- Reports "received here indicate to the dollar which, in actual fact, in tacking Sunwul is in occupation of a that the French were successful the only major currency at present number of strategic points around the city, including Chukyuan, Salkong, in a daring raid in the east of Moshon, Fungshan and Chungwolce. Moselle and were also successful Lintong on the Sunwu-Hokshan in the Saarbruccken region north

against the village held by the French. Wave after wave of men were sent forward, but when the attack ended, the village was still in French hands. The files

Raids And Ambushus

Replying to a question, the Pre- with fire wit

BIBBY LINER TRAGEDY

# Women Children

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). ...The names of a number of women and children appear among the list of those missing however, they seem to be willing to from the Bibby liner Yorkshire. see increased taxation-but not the The list was issued to-day by the

The missing comprise mostly of service men and their families, and include Colonel W. L. E. Reynolds, R.A.M.C., Colonel H. Cornford, R.A.O.C., Tantain F. W. Beer (Lancashire issued. The ordinary taxpayer to-Regiment), and Squadron Leader P. | day faces great increases in rent The missing also include a number

of non-commissioned officers and men of the various British units. Two Mora Ships Sunk LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter),-The British steamer Clan Chisholm (7,256

tons) has been sunk, according to a report reaching Glasgow. Another British steamer, Menin Ridge (2,474 tons), is also reported officially to have been sunk. The Clan Chisholm, one of the big fleet if Clan Line Steamers, Ltd., of Continuing, the Chinese Financial Glasgow, was only built in 1937. It

> Stramship Company. Survivors Rescued WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter) survivors of the Menin Ridge and the

erns (5,952 tons) was sunk to-day by card. n U-boat. The vessel was built in 1913 by Space is valuable. Messrs. J. L. Thompson and Co., of

life-boat arrived at Great Yarmouth tick) .-with 15 men ofter they had been transferred to her by a British vessel.
The captain said the ship sanic early to-day. A few men got into a life-boat and others dived overboard. The missing men were among those

seen swimming in the water. The men were taken to the Sailors' Home, which had just been evacuated by the erew of the Norwegian oil tanker, Deodata, which was sunk in the North Sca on Saturday last,

### Yen Movement Was Expected London Not Surprised

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter),-The Japanese decision to link the yen to the dollar instead of to the pound sterling has created no surprise or dissatisfaction in London innancial circles. On the contrary, it is regurded as the logical step.

With Britain and France both at war, there must be a certain amount of uncertainty regarding the future levels of the sterling and the franc, and it is the general "opinion that Japan is only tollowing the example already set by the Scandinavian PARIS. Oct. 24. (Reuter) -- countries in aligning her currencies You Unchanged

LONDON, Oct. 24 (UP).-The Japanese yeh remained unchanged at fourteen pence against sterling here Commenting on the seizure of the Chinese.

City of Flint, Senator Connally re- Japanese military notes circulated West of Forbach, in the Tokyo's decision to peg the currency

### India Decision ing in the presidence of the first term of the f

BOMBAY, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—In PARIS, Oct. 24 (Router).-A com- a statement to-day Mahaima Gandhi ambushes at several points, and there doubtedly deployable", it; was live-

Hongkong opposition income

In April, 1937, when new taxation became a possibility of the future, the "Telegraph" ran a questionnaire asking readers to vote for the type of taxation that they would like to see in force if additional taxation

ever became necessary. The final analysis of the letters received 'showed' that 75 per cent, voted in favour of income tax.

Many people then, when income tax was not an imminent possibility, were prepared to make direct financial sacrifices in order to help the Government. Now that the help is required, kind of inxution that would hit their

own pockets. Conditions Changed It must be admitted, however, that conditions have changed kince the "Telegraph" questionnaire was and a higher cost of living than was

the case in 1937. Married people have higher financial outlays for their children as instanced by the increase in school fees.

How does the Hongkong public really feel about income tax to-day? If you were treasurer of Hongkong, what would you do? Exira taxation is inevitable. We can't get away from that fact. Not only must normal social services be maintained but Government must find money for defence and for extraordinary war contributions to the Imperial Government, Every-

one will admit the latter obliga-Moro Revenue Wanted The Government anticipates raising \$15,000,000 in extraordinary taxation

this year-\$5,000,000 for the annual budget and \$10,000,000 for the extraordinary war budget. Here is your opportunity to show the Government how you would raise this money-before it does what you

don't want it to do. Run through the following list of taxation old and new. In the space given say what you would increase. Then cut out this form and send it in an envelope to the "Hongkong LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-The Telegraph", No. 3 Wyndham Street Greck ship, Konstantinos Hadjipat- Or send your suggestions on a post-

But keep your letters

---Would-you -- institute any of ... the An ambulance was waiting when a following taxations? (mark with Income Tax, Business Tax, Sales Tax, Super Tax, Unemployment

> Would you increase----Death duties? Enterialnment Tax . . . Would you add to existing duties on any of these commodities? If so, mark them with a tick-

Tax

cigarettes, perfumes, motor-cars? Would you increase taxation for-Radio licences, drivers licences, dog licences? Would you impose duties on any these subjects. Mark with a tick

Beer, spirits, wines, tobacco,

your choice or choices. Allens, bachelors, couples. Stock Exchange margin appreciations, horse racing, club and other sweeps, cats, tes, petrol, olls, salt, soft drinks.

Cosmetics, luxury articles, electric signs, jewellery, furs, windows, roadside hourdings, water. If you have suggestions better than these state them briefly below. If not; say what taxes or increased taxes you think should be avoided. How should Government cut expen-

Name (not for publication) 

# SZECHWAN

the allege probability and more many CHUNGKING, Oct. 25 (Central) Taking 'advantage of a brilliant moon, 24 Japanese aircraft, in two: groups raided Szechwan last night, ... The first group flew over Wushan; and Fengkich on the Yangize River in eastern Szechwan and released a .. number, of bombs.

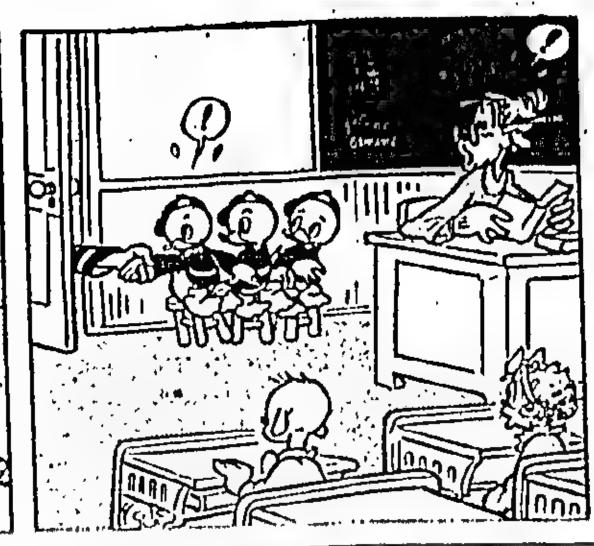
The second group, taking off from a base in Klangsi, attempted to attack Chengtu, but 'owing' to 'an atmospheric change, failed to reach

The air raid olarm was raised liers and was called off early this morn-

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Neutrality Act

# U.S. SENATE PASSES VITAL AMENDMENT

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—The Senate has approved the amendment to the Neutrality Bill to lift drastic restrictions on United States -shipping except in the North Atlantic danger, zones.

The amendment would permit American vessels to carry any materials except to belligerent ports in the South Atlantic, Pacific and Indian Oceans, China, Tasman and Arabian Seas, the Just Hot Air Bay of Bengal, Bermuda, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

Signor Gayda

Has Doubts

Dissertation On New

Tripartite Pact

"Idyllic Lovers' Meetings"

The newspaper reaffirms that fol-

the heart of the Balkans. It adds:

Sir Eric Phipps

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The Senate has also approved | the amendment permitting inland commerce with Canada and Mexico to continue normally without requiring the purchasers to obtain title to supplies before they are transported across the border.

The Senate has also accepted the proposals deleting the clause permitting belligerents to obtain .80-day

Vote On Bill This Week

SPEC .... TO THE "TELEGRAPH" WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP).— Practe is expressed by Signor The Senate to-day formally agreed Gayda, writing in the "Giornale WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP). to limit the debate entirely to the d'Italia." neutrality issue, and each Senator is allowed a maximum of 45 minutes to speak on the Bill itself.

The same rules apply to any British policy of encirclement" and on the Bill is considered virtually sion in the Mediterranean. certain for Friday or Saturday this

After the Senute vote the House Turkey continues to belong to the peace move." of Representatives will begin its debate, probably on Monday, and problems-for-the-Balkan-system. some Congressional leaders express the belief that Congressional adjournment is likely by November 4. bers in Senator Hiram Johnson's Hales the union of Albania with office also agreed to the limitation of

"That is the essential point. Some the debate. Senators Borah and LaFollette both newspapers seek to cloak the facts said that there is no doubt but that a in hazy pictures of idyllic lovers' vote will be taken this week-end. meetings, but Italy turns a deaf ear to the screnades. On the contrary

Amendment Rejected WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter), the will continue to watch the American ships should keep 300 miles Eye." away from Europe when proceeding to neutral countries was rejected by

The approved amendments also French Tributes. 71 votes to 18. include one that inland commerce with Ganda and Mexico will continue normally.

Majority Vote Likely WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). of the French newspapers carry ap-\*-Leaders of the United States Senate preciations of the work done by Sir Uon of £1,000,000 for aerial warhave informed President Roosevelt Eric Phipps who arrived back in fare. that the Neutrality Bill will probably England to-day. be passed by Friday.

It is thought that it will be approvmaterials to those countries which ed by a majority of two to one. Under the proposed Bill, the United can pay and take them away in their, States will be able to sell any war own ships,

### (er).—Fewer than 12 men died in the British zone since the war began, states "Reuter's" special correspondent with the British Expedition -. ary Force.

Their bodies were buried the beautifully-kept British war cemetery.

LOSSES ON

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reu-

WEST FRONT

# Presumably

place between the Fuchrer and Herr von Ribbentrop, the Horcules. Foreign Minister, in the last few ROME, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-

Doubts whether the Turkish Agreement is an instrument of that special reports were called for night, and deal mainly with the Heligo- 9.05 Studio-Comments on Recent and received from the Ambassadors land engagement and mention many Events. in Moscow and Rome do not officers and men for gallant conduct; beace is expressed by Signor correspond to the facts.

No New Peace Move The same applies to news abroad ear Signor Gayda recalls that the pact, concerning alleged war conduct. in its origin, was based on "Franco- | The agency adds: "The German amendment to the Bill, and a vote almed at preventing Italian expan- attitude in consequence of Mr. Champeace offer is well-known. Germany He says that despite this treaty sees no reason for making a new Balkan Entente and raises new

### Munificent Gift By Indian Ruler

The Nizam of Hyderabad has newspaperman on the subject of the offered the Vicerov of India The proposed amendment that sequence of events with a very sharp offered the Viceroy of India a monthly contribution of one and hundred years ago against Napoleon.
a half lakes of rupees (over circumstances are different; the ocea-£11,000) towards the cost of LU maintaining units of Hyderabad State forces, which life than this last. The wonder is that may be called on for services it should have been enited for; that outside the State. LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-Many

appreciation for the gift to the Air i the Air Council have also expressed that one must needs admire the In Natal a handful of residents their thanks. Ministry, and Sir Kingsley Wood and Nigerian Natives' Cifts

of gifts of money are gratefully appreciated in London.

Mr. Malcolm MucDonald, Secretary of State for the Colonies, has written

The following will represent the Cross and are making up hampers on Sunday, October 27, in for the troops.

Volunteers on Sunday, October 27, in for the troops.

tration come first as he does not want to deprive that body of money which may later be required for which may later be required for Nigeria.

# O.W. White French Army

Cash Transactions For Shoes, Blankets

has placed orders for between 1,500 and 2,000 motor lorries (trucks) with an American firm. The French Ambassador to Washington said to-day that France is already buying large quantities of blankets, shoes etc., for the army, and Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull

Later, he said, the French Govern-· He indicated that blg orders for arms embargo is tepcaled.

# A Look Through The "l'elegraph"

50 YEARS AGO

Oct. 25, 1889,

The Italian Government has forward-ed to the various Powers which signed the Berlin Trenty a declaration informing them that Italy has established a Protectorate over Abysainia. We understand that after the end of

this year the Dockyard Police will be cession. disbanded, and their duty done by

failure of the heart, they turn him ther Report.

nearly upside down-that is, with his head downward and his heels in the head downward and his heels in the heart they say, always restores the Plano with Otto Dobrindt and him; and such is their faith in the His Orchestra.

him; and such is their faith in the His Orchestra. efficiery of this method that the operation of the Paris hospitals are made so that in an instant they can be elevated with one end in the air, so as to bring the patient into a position resembling that of standing on his band.

Ribbentrop-Hitler Talks
Unimportant

BERLIN, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—
The official news agency declares that a discussion of decisive importance concerning the international situation has taken place between the Fuebrer and signal place as supposed that the supposed that t 3.781 feet higher than Mount Everest. The new glant has been named Mount

25 YEARS AGO

The agency says that the statement by various admirals, were issued to shear a cond. by The Composer. They also give interesting details of making the detection of submarines, Stone, The Ash Grove, Ben Morgan tacked and avoided torpedoes by the lad like me? . . . Mable Parry

also avoided attack, while the firing of The Vale of Llangollen, The Stars H.M.S. Lion was very creditable. Two in Heaven are Bright, and She Must salvoes sank an enemy cruiser. If the European nations continue to shoot at the rate they have been main- German.

of amokeless powder. It fairly cats up by Dan Donovan; "The Fleet's Lit the steel muzzles of the guns and burns Up", Selection, Geraldo and His up their breech locks. Particularly is Up", Selection, Geraldo and His This is due to the corrosive qualities!

this the case with the nitroglycerin London Hippodrome Orchestra; "The powder used by the British army and Love Parade". Vocal Gems (Schertnavy and by the German navy. Not long ago Mr. Churchill gave an LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). interview in London to an American

"In a word, it is the old struggle of a sion is different; the man, above all, is different—happily." The First Lord never made a truor statement in his outside the State.

He has also made a cash contribution and just about as much in London, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—

William had just about as much in London, Total this southern in this southern in the London. tries who—though not necessarily In Vancouver similar work is sympathising with Gorman methods and being done with materials provided embitions-were quiet ready to tell us by the Canadian Government, glove to such a host of enemies.

of State for the Colonies, has written against the C.C.C. commencing at 11 ngainst the C.C.C. at 10.30 a.m. generous offer, but says that he thinks the re-O. Mong (Cont.). J. E. Richard-the needs of the Nigerian Administration. Research A. D. Connin. W. C. Hung,

Oct. 25, 1934. It is learned on the boat authority TIS Enline of that American officials consider the Japanese mayal enuality, proposals no exclusive Japanese begemony in the Asiatic Pacific, leaving the United States and Britain out of the picture

reising from the recent Spanish revolt, and the continued guerilla war-fare WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reu- indicated in lists described as "inter).—The French Government complete" and published by the press

# Peace Reports

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP)said that he is entirely without information regarding the Domei reports of a Chinese peace proposal being made through the American war supplies would be placed if the Ambassador to China, Mr. Nelson T.

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6 Dance Music.

8.35 Studio—"Some Great Poets"
—3: Milton. The third of the series

of talks by Father Ryan, S.J. 9.0 Orchestral Interlude; May

9.15 London Relay-The News, 9.30 Some Welsh Songs, Over The (Tenor); The Holly; Ploughing Song; H.M.S. Queen Mary has twice at- Mulitracth Dyke; Wilt thou have a use of her helm. H.M.S. Lowestoft (Soprano); David of the White Rock. Be Mine ... Ben Morgan (Tenor).

9.45 . Compositions of Sir Edward taining during the first month of the 10.0 Musical Comedy Selections. -war, att-their-guns-may-be worn out "Viktoria And Her Hussar" (Abrawithin six months, says a Philadelphia "in). Light Opera Company with Orchestra: "Fanfare", Selection Deray Somers Band with Voral Chorus

> zinger) Light Opera Company. 10.30 Dance Music. 11.0 Close down.

### EMPIRE WOMEN RALLY ROUND **Entering War Work**

With Gusto common as Oliver Cromwell and the Letters received in this country inmodern Inbour agitator. And yet, any dicate how the women of the British 9580, It may be recalled that he continue during the past dozen years, we Empire have taken up war work, tributed a similar sum in 1917 for submarine warfare.

His Majesty the King, through the Kaiser; and, even since the war the Kaiser; and, even since the war within a few days and have started broke out, there have been plenty of broke out, there have been plenty of knitting and sewing.

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### Vaulting Ambition

written a book!' Exactly what the Patriarch meant by that is not quite clear, except that he might have had the opportunity of criticising the book, adversely. Leaving many would withdraw her that to Biblical experts, one can turn with a certain satisfaction to a book which an adversary has and France by British, Italian, written, much to the advantage of his opponents.

Europe. Peace is far from the cern.' thoughts of the Fuhrer, and ever has been. His guiding principle, as told in his own words, is that this is a world of everlasting struggle, where one creature feeds on the other and where the death of the weaker implies the life of the stronger.

Following this conception human life, his declared aim has been to swallow any State which is smaller and weaker than his own. He counts it a divine right that Germany should go on expanding in whatever quarter he considers desirable and feasible. "To-day," he says in "Mein Kampf," "there are eighty million Germans in his staff officers saying "But . . . Europe. And our foreign policy will be recognised as rightly con- signals. ducted only when, after barely a million Germans living on this Continent, not packed together as a European war. the coolies in the factories of another Continent but as tillers of the cesses hitherto. He believes, with all

The Reich, in his estimation, will that if he wants a thing hard enough never be secure unless it is in a "most sacred of all rights in this volition. world is man's right to the earth which he wishes to cultivate for with new and formidable conditions himself, and that the holiest of all over which it has no control. So sacrifices is that of the blood poured out for it"

Nothing is said of the sacred rights of the peasantry who must of necessity be violently dispossessed you would find them secretly stagbefore the German can step into gered by the following realisations; the holy heritage.

. How Hitler is to get rid of the present inhabitants to make room, for his consecrated German pensantry has still to be disclosed.

# For all we have and are"

Rudyard Kipling wrote this in 1914. He could but guess then how true his words would be proved in the next four years. But Kipling's majestic verse is even truer to-day. It is a hymn that ranks with the "Recessional."

"HONGKONG TELEGGRAPH.

TOR all we have and are, For all our children's fate, Stand up and take the war.

The Hun is at the gate! Our world has passed away In wantonness o'erthrown. There is nothing left to-day But steel and fire and stone! Though all we knew depart, The old Commandments stand:--

"In courage keep your heart, In strength lift up your hand." Once more we hear the word That sickened earth of old:-"No Law except the Sword Unsheathed and uncontrolled."

Once more it knits mankind, Once more the nations go To meet and break and bind A crazed and driven foe.

Comfort, content, delight; The ages' slow-bought gain, They shrivelled in a night. Only ourselves remain

To face the naked days In silent fortitude, Through perils and dismays

Renewed and re-renewed. Though all we made depart, The old Commandments stand:—

"In patience keep your heart, In strength lift up your hand."

No easy hope or lies Shall bring us to our goal, But iron sacrifice

Of body, will, and soul. There is but one task for all-One life for each to give. What stands if Freedom fall? Who dies if England live?

IN war, the two things that count are leadership and backing. What is the strength of Germany in these

respects? Hitherto Hitler has wielded supreme power. Unquestioning obedience to his orders is the basis of the Nazi Government.

I have been alone with Hitler and Goring at the height of a 660H that mine adversary had crisis, and seen the deference which even the second man in the Reich pays to his chief.

It was at the time of the German reoccupation of the Rhineland. War seemed imminent. I asked Goring whether Gertroops from the French frontier to make way for the occupation of a neutral zone between her and Swedish troops, as in the Suar during the plebiscite.

gesting that idea, "But don't this conflict with despair in their they have neither the individual in- lining the streets for hours as a Powers is that they knew before- gesting that mea, "but don't has commended bodes them ill at telligence of the French soldier nor Storm-Trooper to provide a popular than a manifester of the stubborn determination and self- reception for a Minister on his way Fuhrer might charge me with They are a tough, and disciplined. hand precisely the course that first," he added earnestly. "The Hitler's policy would take in his mixing myself up in foreign race. They love their country. To monstrous ambition to subjugate politics, which are not my con-them-Hitler has hitherto stood for

### His Secret

TS this extreme concentration A of power an asset in war? authority to the Council of Six. In the past they have rejoiced over German Government will have to headed by Goring, while Hitler has their Fuhrer's successes. But now face a different situation. gone off to exercise his absolute rule the bill for all these easy triumphs. The skilled workers, key-men, present I do not think they have as Commander-in-Chief.

versaries are there to obstruct and tain internal order.

him, Hitler will dismiss a subordinate six years. for raising the least objection to his orders. The words "Aber, mein Fuhrer . . . " are enough. This has become an ingrained habit with him. A commander who will not listen to is as sure of disaster as an engine-

Hitler himself has described his method as "advancing with the conhundred years, there will be 250 fidence of a sleep-walker." A general might sleep-walk into victory against primitive savages, but not in

driver who shuts his eyes to the

Will-power-that is what Hitler declares to be the secret of his sucthe earnestness of the authors who write books of popular psychology,

he will get it. With the Gestapo at hand to supposition to give every descendant press all wills but his own, this may of the German race a piece of work all right, but the Fuhrer is now ground that he can call his own. united will of Britain, France and Germans must never forget that the Poland-as strong and far more dogged than his own neurasthenic

> The dominating power of Germany is not alone in finding itself faced also is the nation on which it depends to carry out its aims.

> The German people have awakened with a shock to the discovery that all their complacent calculations have been wrong. If you could look today into millions of German minds, "We were wrong in thinking that Britain and France would never

"We were wrong in thinking that the British Dominions would declare themselves neutral: "We were wrong in thinking that India would rise in rebellion;

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that Japan would hold up the started in the Hitler Youth, a wellwhole of the British Fleet in the run organisation in whose camps I have found the boys being systema-

"We were wrong in thinking that tically taught to absorb the principle:
Spain would furnish us with sub-

hand when we fixed it up with going into the fighting forces. Soviel Russia to divide her; Fuhrer is always right, but IS HE?"

ception of three or four million young hardship. Mentally, they have never tinuous overtime. His cherished men, who may see in war an oppor- learnt to think for themselves. Like leisure has been reduced by constant He said he would take me to junity for excitement, glory, and pro- young men everywhere, they are full attendance at political meetings by The advantage to the Western Hitler for the purpose of sug-motion, the German nation enter on of spirit, and should fight well. But order of the local Party boss, or by

Germany and its well-being. They have trusted and admired him. If

by. But doubt, misgiving, and re- men. luctance to pay the terrible price of . The industrial organisation of a

In this capacity the Fuhrer, for With this background, let us con- tories are all naturally older than now, when the whip of war begins the first time since he took office, sider the strength of the German the fighters. Their minds were to fall on their weary flanks, that will be faced by opposition. No war machine on its human side. formed in pre-Nazi days. They they will feel the strain. longer are his orders sure of the de- First come the young men, who accepted Nazi rule with enthusiasm Nor they alone, Even the Nazi sired result. The forces of his ad- will have to do the fighting and main- because it exalted their country, and Government officials, with all their

Nor can a generalissimo command Her twenties has passed through the for it now that it has plunged them signs of cracking. like an autocrat. In peace time, as Nazi training organisations, which into a war not defensive but aggres- Twice it has happened to me that

"We were wrong in imagining. Up to the age of 21, they have all

The slightly older men have been "We were wrong in believing Storm Troopers, and have done their that Poland would throw in her six months' Labour Service before

mans themselves call it. I am convinced that, with the ex- Physically they are inured to He has had to work almost con-

----TN-the -new-kind-of-"nations they stand by him at first, it will be of a country does not lie solely in platitudes, to which he is compelled they stand by him at hist, it will be marching battalions of fine young by prudence to pay attention.

It has been partly reduced by the his overweening ambition will all the belligerent State is just as important delegation of internal administrative time be grawing at their hearts. as its armed forces, and here the

has come in—and they don't like it, managers, and organisers of the fac- even resented it very much. It is won triumphs at no cost.

map in German colours, and of which the cost will be crushing? I am convinced that the Germans of 35 upwards have not their hearts

in this struggle. We have no English equivalent for the word Gemuthchkeit, which is so often on German lips. It means quiet and penceable well-being. It forms the background of the mind of every German once he has settled down in life.

What have the Nazis done for Ger-

man Gemutlichkeit? For the past four years, since Goring, one Saturday morning in April 1935 revenled to the world in an interview with myself that Germany was putting her civilian air force on a military basis, the German worker has been under crescendo strain.

He has been shifted about from one job to another at the behest of the "bonzes"—as they call them—in Berlin. He has had his pay heavily Soviel Russia to divide her; nave been rectured and propaganded docked for Party subscriptions, while "-Of course, we know that the "corpse-like obedience." as the Germany cases, built their grand villas and had strings of big Mercedes cars.

Even when he gets a free evening at his favourite Bierstube, it is likely to be interrupted by a long broadcast oration from Dr. Goebbels or some I war," however, the strength other purveyor of pompous political

### Weary Officials

THESE people have borne it all with the patience of an overworked, underfed horse. Up to the

amenities of prestige, authority, and Every young German in the ear- Will they be equally enthusiastic comfortable living, sometimes show

have been told by those near to have been compulsory for the past sive; a war which, even if successful, I have been sitting with high Gercould only paint some more of the man executives at times of crisis, like the sudden swoop on Prague last -year, and the seizure of Memel that followed it-sitting quietly over . a bottle of wine in the evening-and my companion has suddenly exclaimed, like a man who must tell someone and did not dare to confide in his own people: "I can't go on like this. I've not had a decent night's sleep for weeks. I'm kept always on the

run. I must have a rest." That pressure will now be multiplied tenfold.

Men whose nerves are worn revert to type. Artificially formed habits of mind fail away. Their hidden instincts come to the surface. The fundamental inclination of

very many German workers is towards Communism. I do not expect anything to happen until the hardships of war have broken the superficial crust of German solidarity, but it was perhaps

significant that as Hitler drove away from the Chancellery to assume command on the Eastern Front, four, of his bodyguard were standing on the running-boards of his car. I have seen Hitler moving about Germany scores of times, but never before has he needed such protec-.

### Faithful Fan Wins Mercy

COLUMBIA, S.,C. A rabid baseball fan escaped a fineor jail sentence for drunkenness when an understanding judge heard this case. The fan, arrested for drunkenness while en route to watch the seventh-place Columbia team play, was released when his attorney asked the judge: .. "What else can you expect of a man watching that team play this season?"

GRIN AND BEAR IT By Lichty



"-this battle has come to you through the courtesy of the Itxy Bitxy Cookie Company."

### Wantchee Catchee Their Babies

Four Chinese women rescued from the Fatshan carried huge bundles with them when they were transferred to the British gunboat.

They willingly acquiesced in being ferried across to the Kinshan, but as soon as their bundles were safely aboard the relief ship they vociferously refused to desert the warship.

"'Ere, what's wrong with these screamin' wimmin? Why won't they go aboard the Kinshan with their bloomin' luggage?" an A.B. asked a Chinese bystander.

"Four piecee woman say they wantchee go back Fatshan catchee their babies!" the bystander replied.

### PUBLICITY IN ORIENT

### Britain's Viewpoint In without mishap. News And Photos

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH"

was recently appointed assistant lifebolts. on Tuesday that his primary for Lin Tin Island, which, I believe, escaped damage, work would be to facilitate dis- is occupied by Japanese, and a few tribution of photographs and minutes later we grounded in six news.

The headquarters of the Far Eastern Bureau is established at Hongkong with Mr. R. H. Scott as the director.

Mr. Radman said that he and Mr. with local British communities.

The section of which Mr. Redman Thailand, French Indo-China, Netherlands East Indies and Malay States.

Pictorial Magazine "At present I am studying the pos- delightful friends for life.

British Government at the time of eare of the Chinese women the Great War," Mr. Redman said. "The fact that relations between Japan and Britain have considerably

Improved after the signing of the is also very encouraging," he con- thrilled to bits at the incident.

British propaganda enterprises in the taking off the Chinese passengers, and mpining four ships will be traded to Far East. "When I left England after being!

appointed to by present position, did so with a feeling that England, "We were told at first that we would not consider any German pro- would have to stay aboard all night, posals for peace. After Herr Hit- would have to stay aboard all night, ier's and Mr. Chamberlain's specches, But the British sailors worked so I am more convinced that this will magnificently and so quickly that they be a very long war."

### MORE JAPANESE **EMIGRANTS**

### For Reconstruction Work In China

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" 20,000 young men collected through- Two tugs, the Tukoo Dockyard when the Nazis, foaming and boiling out Japan will be sent to the Con- Company's Tnikoo and the smaller with rage, started the persecution of tinent next summer for training in harbour tug Hsin Shameen, are now their opponents at home by setting the reconstruction works in Mon-Inttending the Fatshan, the smaller the Reichstag ablaze. They now be-

chukuo and China. coming fiscal year.

lous services on the Continental Fuishan will go into drydock and will against Mr. Churchill, but one thing frontlines will include students and probably be out of service about a you cannot say—that he uses Nazi members of young men's associational month. In the meantime the Macao methods," concluded the announcer.

# Splendid The Navy

THE RESCUE OF THE 1,800 PAS-SENGERS ABOARD THE CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER FATSHAN DEVELOPED SHALLOW AND THE DRAUGHT BRITISH GUNBOAT RECEDING TIDE WAS TOLD TO THE "TELE-GRAPH" LAST NIGHT IN A VIVID INTERVIEW WITH A HONGKONG LADY WHO WAS ABOARD THE WRECKED A PASSENGER STEAMER.

As exclusively reported in the Final Edition of the "Telegraph" yesterday, the Fatshan struck a submerged object near Lantau Island, and took in water at such a rate through a gaping hole in her bull that she had to be hurriedly beached on Lin Tin Island.

Magnificent assistance in rescuing the 1,800 people aboard by the British disposal of the China Navigation navy, which successfully trans- Company and approval for her subferred the entire personnel stitution sought from the authorities

"Nobedy took any notice when we hit the submerged object," the lady passenger told the "Telegraph." Mr. H. de Vere Redman, who around and told us to put on our

feet of water. Everybody Was Jolly

"Not for away was a Japanese erniser, which either didn't realise we were in difficulties or disdained

to take any notice of us. "There was no panic. Everyone the Far East and establish contacts aboard was Jolly: we had a few beers

arrive, and chatted or played bridge. "The customary reserve you find is in charge includes Japan, China, between strangers, even abourd ship,

sibilities of starting a pictorial "The European ladies aboard offermagazine such as published by the ed to help the ship's officers in taking | children passengers.

### Thrilled To Bits

"There was only one European Soviet-German non-aggression pact child aboard—a boy of five. He was "When the Kinshan arrived He denied the report as without British gunboat, whose draught was New York, foundation that £3,000,000 had been shallow enough for her to come deposited in Japan as a fund for alongside the Fatshan, commenced Mr. II. E. Warner said that the re-

transferring them to the Kinshan. "The tide was receding and

plenty of time to allow us to leave before the tide left the Fatshan almost high and dry.

### Safely Beached

Though badly holed when she struck an unchartered rock off Lantau Island yesterday morning, the Fatshan now lies safely beached in the pite heavy jamming, the German to obtain, mud on Lin Tin Island eight miles "Freedom" station can be heard from Castle Peak and is in no danger, sharply attacking Dr. Goebbels's It is hoped to have her sufficiently tirade against Mr. Winston Churchill.

The number will double that for to work close to the beached ship. A against the Western Powers. ary repairs will be quickly effected. in fact, done. The youths volunteering for labor- When she returns to Hongkong the "You may say whatever you like

### NAZI DISTORTION OF Set To Work OFFICIAL STATEMENTS

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter),-A statement on the subject of gas warfare in Poland has been made by a medical expert of the University of Basic to the Basic correspondent of the 'Times."

He says that he examined some This he strongly declares to be phalian farmlands. German soldiers who were suffering untrue. from gas poisoning. '

Nazi propaganda machine as having tion of gas warfare by the Germans. supplied neutral information of the He explained he was called to use of poison gas by the Poles.

he found no evidence to indicate how ling in Poland. the poleoning occurred.

announcements, however, claimed that my statements might be used charge were sentenced to ten and reserve all rights and forbid repersonally-but was acting "because him had given evidence of Polish for anil-British propaganda." him years.

nine years.

nine years.

resort to gas warfare.

.He is afraid that the whole affair He was then represented by the is possibly preparation for the institu-Berlin by a patient and while there He told the "Times" correspondent he could not very well refuse the that although he found men suffering request by the University of Berlin Schunex, a German engineer from visions of the Telecommunications ed on \$7,500, ball supplied by the

After denying the German versions | martial at Nancy. The German press and broadcast of his findings, he said: "I had feared . Two Frenchmen on the same by the United Press Assectations, who she is not acquainted with Browder

in Canton. Approval Expected

This approval is expected to be readily forthcoming; in which event the Kinshan will leave shortly for "As a matter of fact, we didn't Canton. Passengers, bookings by the TORYO, Oct. 25 (Domei). realise that the ship had been crip- Fatshan will hold good for the Kinshan

Under the agreement with the Japanese the Fatshan did not carry director of the Far Eastern "Within five minutes of striking any cargo, so that the water which Bureau of the British Ministry the object, the Fatshan took in six entered her holds caused no damage of Information, told reporters feet of water.
"Captain Whyte headed the ship forward and are believed also to have

### Pres. Madison To Be Sold

### American Mail Line Re-Organisation

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" ito Sr. Jose Cojuangdo, a Manila mer i jawait events. | chant, for \$350,000

Sr. Cojuangeo's agent said that the vessel would likely be used to transthe port sugar to the Pacific Const and

The American Mail Line's trustee, the porary vessels envisaging the evenevacuation became a race against tual purchase of modern vessels from the Commission.

### German Radio Defends Mr. Churchill

BPECIAL TO THE "TELEGHAPH" LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—Des-TOKYO, Oct. 25 (Domei).—Over turn journey to Hongkong.

Tokyo, Oct. 25 (Domei).—Over turn journey to Hongkong.

The announcer said the "speech turn journey to Hongkong. carried our memory back to the days ately on the present levels,

tug being of sufficiently light draught lieve they can use the same methods this year. An appropriation of Yen big hole has been torn in the forward "Dr. Goebbels has imputed to the 2,000 000 will be earmarked for starboard part of the hull, but it has British what the Nazis would have carrying out the plan by the Educa-| been found that the damage can be done in their place; he has imputed tion Ministry in its estimates for the worked on conveniently and tempor- to Mr. Churchill what the Nazis have,

# Polish Prisoners

OLDENZAAL, Holland, Oct. 24 (UP).-Travellers from Germany report that Polish prisoners, who have thus far been confined in concentration camps, will henceforth be used to assist the farmers in field work. Several thousand Poles have already been spread over the West-

### LIFE SENTENCE FOR NAZI SPY

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" PARIS, Oct. 24 (Reuter) --- Paul from "Yollow Crois" gas polsoning, to investigate the case of gar-poison- the Saar, was sentenced to life penal Ordinance, 1936. Such news as bears Society matron, and member of the servitude for esplonage by a court- the indication "UP" is received in International Labour Defence, Mrs.

# TOLD

TELEGGRAPH'

# Attempt To Prison Fails

A DARING and almost successful attempt to escape from the Remand Cells at the Central Police Station—an attempt that involved leaps over one wall forty feet high and another 15 feet high—failed this morning only through bad luck.
The prisoner was captured in Wyndham Street.

His pursuers were able to arrest him because he tripped and fell over a two inch gutter!

In order to escape from custody the prisoner—who was to have appeared at the Central Magistracy this morning—broke out of his cell, jumped forty feet from the roof on to an archway over the steps leading to the Magistracy and then, after running along the top of the wall, jumped a further fifteen feet into Arbuthnot Road.

Before the alarm could be raised he was almost half way to Wynd-

A number of Indian warders and policemen set off after the man, who disappeared into Wyndham

His undoing came when he attempted to leap across a small gutter leading into a laneway off Wyndham Street. Stumbling over the guiter, the

man fell heavily, twisting his ankle. He was unable to run any further and was easily re-captured by the panting warders, who arrived a minute or so later. The man will face an additional

charge of attempting to escape from custody when he appears in Court this afternoon.

### Confidence In Shanghai \$ Returning

# Latest Moves.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 25 (Reuter) -Referring to a small but constant stream of selling orders from a comparatively large and Commerce," leading financlal weekly, in a review of the

the past week, states: of the dollar is returning, and the hence only routine announcements steady, even if small, upward move- will be allowed.

completely broke down, and I'm sure The Puget Sound District was that, among the many people I met assured another American flag line for the first time, I've made several to the Orient as a result of the action. to the Orient as a result of the action | Hongkong and Shanghai Bank was families. of Federal Judge John G. Bowen in able to buy, and did so at 4%d withconfirming the reorganization of the out causing the slightest nervousness American Mail Line and simul- or trace of disturbance, whereas pretaneously empowering the Directors viously, whenever the bank started to to sell the Liner President Madison buy, sellers discreetly disappeared to

### **Poculiar Reaction**

rumours, the "Finance, and Com- been made public, merce" declares that they had no effect on exchange, but it was inter- not officially confirmed, that the esting to note the curious influence manoeuvres will be held in the Paciupon domestic bonds of the Japanese fic area since it was held last year report that in Tokyo the Minister of in the Atlantic and Caribbean areas. War had issued peremptory orders Navy spokesmen refused to confirm that the Sino' incident should be this general supposition. In fact, settled forthwith.

order would have been interpreted there might be a sudden switch in as a signal for the renewal of milit- the plans and hold the annual ary operations on a wider scale more manoeuvres in the Atlantic, possibly aggressively than ever, but the Chin- off the mid-Atlantic States to reese apparently regarded it as a bull- 'assure the nation that the defences point for peace, and domestic bonds are sufficient. However, this survey on the average rose immediately by is speculative as yet. 35 cents," concludes the journal.

New York Exchange Sterling strongly advanced in a thin Three Days In market in which offerings were hard The franc was also firm on the

dollar basis, The yen has not affected the market since the new rate is approxim-

### Japan Popularising China Railways

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" China has been concluded. The day's raid over the south-east agreement comes into force in June, coast of Scotland.

It provides for discount tickets for the sea" is taken literally, however, through and round journeys between they may have taken part in Satur-Japan. Manchuria and occupied day's attack on the British convoy and China by land, sea and air and other had been too crippled to get home. measures to promote transport faci- No further information is yet lities between the three countries.

ways, the Korean and Formosan Railway Bureaus, the South Manchu-Central China Railway Companies, craft known to have been brought the N.Y.K. and the O.S.K., the East Asia Marine Transport Company, the Japan Airways Company, the Manchukuo Air Transport Company, and the Central China Air Transport Company.

THE prefix "Special to the Telegraph" is used by the "Hongkong



### NEW REICH WARNING TO NEUTRALS American Navy

Secrecy SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 24, (UP). - The German Ambassador here to-day delivered a note to the Argentine Foreign Minister in which he stressed the danger of citizens of neutral

countries travelling on British or French merchant ships. The note also admonished neutral vessels to abstain from suspicious

If they are detained by German warships "the German Government would regret if citizens of neutral Interesting Reaction To countries were injured in battles in consequence of such activities," the

### U.S. Ship Movements

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (UP).--The Navy. Department said there number of Chinese, the "Finance would be complete slience regarding all future ship movements around

They said it would be against their local exchange market during policy to announce any movements except from West Coast stations to Apparently confidence in the future | West Coast navy yards for overhaul,

ment during the past week seems A report was circulated in nonto have convinced the Chinese that official circles that some ships of the the time has come to bring out their Hawaiian detachment may be ordergold and get back to legal tender." ed to return to the West Coast for Whether their judgment is sound, annual overhaul, wherefore a Com-SEATTLE, Wash, Oct. 24 (UP).— the paper adds, only time will tell, mander may direct a sufficiently

### Figet Manocuvres

Some official circles said that such development is entirely possible but declined any positive indication. Meanwhile, preparations are proceeding on a minute to minute basis for the annual fleet manocuvres Turning to the prevalent peace although the exact location has not

It was originally believed, although some usually well informed circles "To most Western minds, such an claimed to have basis for belief that

### The Sea German Airmen's Experience

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). ---The two German airmen landed in England to-day may be the men who were seen to get into TOKYO, Oct. 25 (Domei).—A a boat when a German plane was through trame agreement between forced into the sea during Mon-Japan, Manchukuo and "Puppet" doord

If their account of "three days in

Participating in the arrangements are the Japanese Ministry of Rail-who landed in Denmark, came down. There may thus be an addition of rin Railway Company, the North and one or two planes to the 16 Nazi air-

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" NEW YORK, Oct. 24 (UP).-Earl Telegraph" to indicate news which Browder, Secretary of the United is strictly copyright under the pro- States Communist Party, was releas-Honekong on the date of publication, Hester Huntington, who said . that



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an hour.

here-why not use it?

Military Hospital.

# S'hai Cancel Hockey League: Australians Discuss 1941 Tests

(By "Tinker")

THE DECISION of the Shanghai Hockey Association to suspend their men's league for this season comes as a surprise to Hongkong, where every effort is being made to continue sport despite the troubles which surround us. It is true that the motion was carried by only eight votes to six, which indicates an even division of opinion, but it is hard to believe that the sole basis for striding down a sun-washed fairsuspending the League was because "the big leagues in way? Why, they talk about golf. England had suspended activity."

IT hardly conforms to the express request from Home, that the Colonies can best do their | "bit" by continuing normally. The hundreds eager to return Home have been told that they must remain-for the time being, at least,-and so the discontinuance of normal sports functions tends to destroy morale to an appreciable extent rather than [ achieve its object as a genuine

gesture of sympathy. Fortunately, only one branch of sport-men's hockey-has taken this! step. The women are prosecuting. their netivities to their utmost. It cricket, football, rugby and the remainder of the games followed suit. a programme of only friendly fixtures could never hope to sustain the interest which is incorporated paratively dismal sports future it match, which should not only in the leagues, and what a com-

of boxing in Hongkong? that, as intimated little while ago, the United States Marines are unable to make the pore are streets ahead of the rugby trip to the Colony. There | Colony in regard to boxing was, unfortunately, some sort of all facilities. There is material mix-up last year. The Marines were ready to come down at the same time or immediately following the interport match with the Shangtal R.U.F.C., but Hongkong had received no word that that was the case-apart from what had been printed in the newspapers, and that could not be considered official.

There was no slight intended. interport invitation from Shanghai a Hongkong Jockey Club to the Pony "When Henry Pleard re-designed few years ago. Three letters. How were new years ago. think there were, were sent to a China Ponies.—Rose Emily and about 14 months ago, he had to begin with regret that owing to the Euro-Pate.

Post Office box which was no longer Rose Evelyn to "B" Class; Clowner, from the first fundamentals and pean hostilities, the German Hockey in use, and there they lay for Pare Pate. few years ago. Three letters. I Classification Lists issued on June 20: his game to use the interlocking grip, \*several weeks before being dis-Sylvandale to "C" Class; Popular and were convinced to Hongkong's uncouthness, and did not hesitate to uncouthness, and did not hesitate to say, so. However, letters of explanation smoothed the matter out.

AND what has been the effect of, It the war on other parts of the British Empire? The Australians (V) are actually discussing the next Test, MISS MARGUERITE WIL- 66T LOST 12 pounds winning the cricket series for 1940 India is SON, of Bournemouth, 21-years- | Lost 12 pounds winning the hoping for an M.C.C. visit in 1941. Canada, until very recently, was still old member of the Hercules play takes more weight off you than continuing their drive for funds for record - breaking team, scored match. You worry more at medal the Olympic Games, while in Eng-ther greatest triumph when she land, herself, league football and reached John o' Groats, having was down to, raw bone before I rugby has been reorganised and accomplished the remarkable was down to, raw bone before I games are sill going on.

It is cheering to encounter such minutes, with only three hours optimism. The Australian Board of sleep. England side will visit them!

They have not, apparently, forgotten the time-limitless Final Test at the Oval last year. For years they have been staunch supporters of such matches, while England was Rugby stuck to hers about limits. That last Test at the Oval, and the final Test between England and South Africal inst year brought out the defects of limitless Tests, and the Aussles are now prepared to consider a revision

or other someone said or wrote some M. G. Carruthers; D. B. Nelson, J. C. M. G. Carruthers; D. M. Thompson; Hagen Interrupted philosophisager, D. H. Hamilton, F. M. Thompson; Eager, D. H. Hamilton, F. M. Rutherford; A. H. R. Butcher (Captain), R. Rutherford; A. H. R. Butcher (Captain), R. Rutherford; A. H. R. W. Stout, K. W. Salter, P. R. Wanklyn, hit. it."

The last war?

Do you remember that story about R. M. M. King, B. Hynes; W. B. Richard, M. J. Woman has better rhythm than the last war?

If the last war? The crowd collected around the owner of the newspaper, unxiously

# SPORT ADVTS

### THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Tenth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, 4th November, 1939, (Weather) permitting) may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Exchange Building; The Club House, Happy Valley; The Hong Kong Club; The Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON. on Thursday, 26th October, 1939.

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# TALK

### Going Around With Hagen And Nelson

Cleveland, O., Oct. 2: the professional golfers talk about between bird'es and cagles while

fushioned chin lathering when, the National Open Champion, Byron Nelson, and Walter Hagen, one of the greatest and most colourful golfers in history, got together for an exhibition at Ridewood Country Club here.

The Haig stepped up to the first obtained from his superior! officers, and provided arrange- tee for the opening drive of the ments can be made with the | match and rapped one smartly down |

Hongkong Boxing Association, to Nelson. the recent boxing challenge "That's the best shot I've had all issued by Len Collins, former

afternoon." HINTS FOR ALL

London, through the Hongkong Telegraph has been accepted FINE two golfing greats ambled by F. K. Jacobs, R.A.M.C., Through 18 holes of play meanwhile dropping putts and handy hints alike for Mr. Average Golfer. Are there any sporting pro-"My biggest weakness is in my moters willing to arrange this pivot," said the open champion. haven't got one. But I'll get one be worth watching, but which

some day." "We clubmakers have got to start would do much for the revival designing an iron for the 82-and-upgolfer," sald Hagen.

the best from player in the world two years ago. He is the best from player in the world to-day. I know.

### He beat me.

WORRY OF MEDAL PLAY

What was that you said about feat of riding the 870 miles from Hagen explained his delay "The doctor found my temperature at 105.2 last night and told me that I shouldn't play golf or travel. 1 Miss Wilson bents the record set didn't think I could make it this Cuss the pros and cons of limiting up by Mrs. Lilian Dredge, of morning. But I knew that if I religiously have no doubts that an 2 minutes. Her average speed, in that something else was wrong. I rengland side will visit them! couldn't play, I'd at least make an appearance and alopogise. I felt so much better on the way I decided to

"My chief trouble," said Nelson as he lined up a putt, "is too much 'inside-out' in my swing. But when I feel that clubhead doing that I know I'm right.

### PHILOSOPHIC GOLF

CON IFE is just hitting the ball,".

in golf," Nelson mused: "She can develop a nicer short game and she minutes, during which the reader swings the club instead of slugging." was carefully scanning the columns, one of the men on the ouskirts im-

Sald an unidentified man lurking In the crowd: : -"I'd like to give those guys



The victorious "D" team which best "D" in the Stubbs Cup Polo competition at Boundary Street on Monday, Left to right: W. A. C. Morgani, D. T. O. Forrest, T. W. Chatley and R. A. M. Honnessy. Staff.



The "E" team which heat "C" in the Stubbs Cup Polo competition on Monday. Left to right: F. S. Hancock, J. A. Holdsworth, R. J. L. Penfold and R. Gilbertson-Staff Photographer.

# S'HAI DISCUNTINUL LEAGUE HOCKEY

# Surprising Decision Made At Annual Meeting

BY a narrow majority of eight votes to six, states the Shanghai Times, it was decided to abandon the annual Men's Hockey League for the coming season, this decision being reached at the Annual General Meeting of the Shanghai Hockey Association held at the Shanghai Cricket Club on October 18. This was undoubtedly the most farreaching resolution made at the meeting and will affect the numerous teams who will be taking an active part in

A prolonged discussion took place to examine the prosent disand cons of continuing the league under the present disturbed conditions, a ballot was finally taken with the

above result.

NELSON missed an easy approach shot and Hagen said to him. "Do year's play could be among 18 in en- example that big leagues in England had suspended activity and that it had suspended activity and that it had suspended activity and that it was his opinion that Shanghai should year's play could be among 18 in ennot worry about a bad score in an year's play could be among 18 likewise discontinue, league play exhibition. The crowd would rather teams, the same strength which under present conditions.

The following alterations and Henry Picard defeated Nelson one up now be featured in friendly Football League. He remarked that he inclident recalls the tennis additions have been made by the in 37 holes in that tournament.

The following alterations and Henry Picard defeated Nelson one up now be featured in friendly Football League. He remarked that now be featured in friendly for which much of the incentive and keenness in 37 holes in that tournament. matches, the schedule for which will be issued in the near future.

The Association also has learnt with regret that owing to the Euro-

# Marines

The United States Marines in Shanghai will be unable to send their rugby team to Hongkong next month, according to a letter received by the Hongkong Football Club from Col. J. C. Fegan, Commander of the Marines. Col. Fegan says the Marines have been working diligently

and enthusiastically, but owing to the European crisis and the recent China situation their programme will be limited to a "hit-or-miss schedule." The Regiment is unable to spare the 25 men comprising the rugby squad, and in Col.

Fegan's opinion, it is possible

that the rugger side will be disbanded soon, The Hongkong Football Club have been requested to shelve the invitation for the moment. Col. Fegan concludes with the remarks that he shares Hongkong's disappointment in not being able to send a team south, a project he had been looking forward to for several seasons.

Associate Membership. The latter proposal was accepted by the club representatives present. CHANGES DEFERRED

THE General Meeting was preceded by an Extraordinary General Meeting which was convened for the purpose of considering proposed alterations and additions to the Laws of the Association and the Hockey League. The proposal was quashed, how-

ever, when J. S. Kenyon, a member of the Council, proposed that adoption of the draft of new rules be deferred until later when more time had been spent in drafting them. The motion was carried unanimously. NEW OFFICERS

IN the new election of officers, the following were elected to serve or the ensuing year:-President:-J. P. Jones.

Vice-Presidents:-Capt. J. R., Colo and K. M. Patc. Member of the Council:--II. Crickmer.

Honorary, Secretary:-W. J. Bilvey. Honorary Treasurer:-G. F. Mant. Owing to the lack of other nominaions, it was decided to let the new Committee co-out the three other members necessary for the full VOTE AGAINST LEAGUE

FIGHE major portion of the meeting Ithen revolved on the point tof. whether a league will be held thin year, W. G. Clarke, into President of the Association; opened for the opposition with the statement that the: personally ... was not in ' favour of carrying on with a league, citing the

see you in trouble than see you get a birdie. It makes the average player happier."

Nelson pondered awhile, but it was not the P.G.A. tournament that was on the P.G.A. tournament that was on this mind when he turned to Hagen. This mind when he turned to Hagen. The provided of the league in the league, however, there will be no necessity dent, pointed out that the Shanghai dent, pointed out that the Shanghai his mind when he turned to Hagen. The provided in the league last a provided in the league, however, there will be no necessity dent, pointed out that the Shanghai his mind when he turned to Hagen. He remarked that the season will be no necessity dent, pointed out that the Shanghai has a provided that the season will be no necessity dent, pointed out that the Shanghai has a provided that the season will be no necessity dent, pointed out that the Shanghai has a provided that the season will be no necessity dent, pointed out that the Shanghai has a provided that the season will be no necessity dent, pointed out that the Shanghai has a provided that the season will be no necessity dent, pointed out that the Shanghai has a provided that the season will be no necessity dent.

H. A. Crickmer suggested that Unable To Come | friendly games be given a trial this year, as this system had never been friendly games be given a trial this

In order that the question might be answered, a bollot was token. The result was that six votes were cast in favour of the league, and eight for its abandonment. SUBSCRIPTIONS RAISED

THE matter of subscriptions to the Association was next discussed as it has been found that the ground rent in the Race Course has been raised from \$700 to \$840. W. J Silvey put forward the plan that, in order to meet this increased expenditure, subscriptions for each club should be raised to \$60, for a club entering one team in Association friendly fixtures; \$95 for a club entering two teams; and \$125 for a club entering three teams.

Inese figures compare with the respective dues of \$45, \$80 and \$105 of last season. The new subscription rates were adopted.



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# Von Ribbentrop Launches Tirade

# GERMANY AND THE AMERICAN MONROE DOCTRINE

(REUTER) ..... GERMANY HAS ACCEPTED THE ALLIES CHALLENGE TO A LONG AND SUSTAINED WAR.

In a speech remarkable for its virulence towards Great Britain, Herr von Ribbentrop, the man who misinformed Hitler that Britain would not fight, made this declaration at a big demonstration in Danzig last night.

"We shall never make peace," declared von Ribbentrop, "until there are guarantees that attacks on the German people are once and for all excluded."

The war, he declared, was imposed on Germany and War Newsreels Hitler's "magnificent and unrepeatable offer to Poland' (which, incidentally, was neither magnificent nor received by the Polish Government until German troops had marched into the country) forms the subject of another outburst in which Britain is blamed for everything.

Germany would respect the American Monroe Doctrine (which guarantees the territorial integrity of all countries in the two Americas), but von Ribbentrop claimed that the presence of British Colonies in South pany in the Far East, who has just America was a breach of the Doctrine.

Describe

never again be separated from the Reich.

Ribbentrop declared: "This war conciliate.

has, in the truest sense of the

word, been imposed on Ger-

Herr von Ribbentrop proceeded to

deal with the German-Polish negotla-

tions regarding Danzig. He declared;

"The astonishing uttitude of Poland

to Hitler's magnificent and unrepent-

able offer seemed remarkable to me.

To-day we have the unswer to the

"We know to-day that already at

that time negotiations for guarantee

Poland Responsible

sible for those events and for the

justified by real conditions was tinent.

carried out and that a real appeare-

efforts towards

reconciliation,

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Herr von Ribbentrop added that

riddle-England was behind it.

were on foot with England."

their relations.

Europe," he declared.

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many.'

demonstration here to-night, Herr Joachim von Ribben-

present state of war, Herr von that Britain did not went

the Polish Government fully respon- for ever, he prophesied.

von Ribbentrop, recalling conflict with it.

highly suspicious development of with the United States, there could

now see to it that redistribution trade with all states on that con-

The speech was broadcast by all German stations and

French Reactions

The paper says that in trying to divide France and Britain and in wasting his time.

Plenty

The declarations made by Mr. PARIS, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-French Lestie Hore-Belisha, the British reaction to the Nazi attempts, includ- Secretary of State for War, confirm ing Herr von Ribbentrop's datest try, that for the two western nations the to divide the British and the French end of the war will only be justified is typified by the newspaper, "Le by the definite guarantee of a new

confining himself to defensive actions | Only then, the paper says, can there | office in New York and the studios on the Franco-German frontier while be a just and lasting peace. Until in Hollywood. he intensifies his U-boat and aerial then, the Reich will be compelled to campaigns against Britain, Hitler is carry on with the war they wished for and which they had unleashed.

Germany And Russia

He declared that the conclusion of

the German-Russian pact has put

Germany's foreign policy on a new

basis. Tradit.onal German-Soviet

friendly relations were restored and

there existed all the necessary

conditions for deepening this friend-

By fur-reaching agreements the

exchange of raw materials and in-

dustrial products between Germany

peace to-day than to-morrow.

Government.

declared.

culous and impudent.

Imposed By Britain That war had been imposed on

Paris and with the French Govern-

Herr von Ribbentrop added that

this war against Germany had been

systemetically and secretly prepared

for years by the present British

Mr. Chamberlain did not go to

from their leader. The German

pudent instructions declared Herr

von Ribbentrop.

Broke Agreement

turnover shortly,

order without the threat of aggres-



VON RIBBENTROP

# For King's Universal Supervisor Tells Of Plans

The assurance that the producing programme of Universal Pictures Corporation would not be curtailed because of the war, was given by Mr. A. Daff, supervisor for the comarrived in the Colony, in an interview with the "Hongkong Telegraph," to-

He also said that King's Theatre had contracted for weekly releases. of Universal's special war newsreels. Mr. Daff and Mr. Palmertz, China Universal manager, are at present in the Colony. Mr. Daff has just completed a world tour which included visits to all the Universal offices in the Far East, as well as to the head

The discovery by Producer Joe Pasternak of Deanna Durbin had been followed by production of some of the best pictures ever to come out of Hollywood, said Mr. Daff. He added that 1940 promised to be Universal's best year yet. Apart Deanna Durbin, Universal had secured such stars as Charles Boyer, Dietrich, James Stewart, Margaret Sullavan, Cary Grant, Young, Douglas Fairbanks. Jr., Herbert Marshall, Joan Bennett, and, for "thrillers," Basil Rathbone, DANZIG Oct. 24 (Reuter).—In a speech to a big Boris Karloff, and Bela Lugosi. The line-up of comedy stars in-

Mischa Auer, and Edgar Bergen and trop, the Nazi Foreign Minister, stated that Danzig would | Charlle McCarthy. A new producing unit had been added to Universal's roster for the coming year, namely Harry Edington productions. As agent, Mr. Edington then sent out to the world in many foreign translations, had under personal contract such ling for a long time. People leave stars as Marlene Dietrich, Jeanette Referring to what he describ- again and again that Britain had MacDonald, and Edward G. Robinson. ed as an attempt to make Danzig adopted an unconciliatory attitude and the Reich responsible for the his efforts when forced to recognise ing groomed to take the juvenile hour of light would work wonders, to place of Deanna Durbin and would make her debut in "The Under-Pup," | regularly. Deanna would be cast in more grown-

cluded W. C. Fields, Mae West,

up, romantic roles and would be seen in Hongkong soon in "First Love." Then she would make "It's a Date." Pletures which Mr. Daff rattled off as on Universal's big list included,starring Sigrid Gurie: "Invisible Man Returns;" "Tower of London," starring Basil' Rathbone and Boris Karloff; "Victoria Docks at Eight," and "Friday the 13th."

and the Soviet was already operating ment with Hitler that Britain and and would increase yearly. They Germany would never go to war with would reach the highest point of each other again. Mr. Chamberlain did not under-

Territorial divergence between the stand Hitler's historic peace offer. the German Government must make two states was out of the question Misguided by his policy, Mr. were killed. Chamberlain took it as a sign of Regarding Germany's relations weakness. Herr von Ribbentrop concluded: not be any divergence at all with "We shall never make peace until Referring to the collapse of the that country. Germany had ab- there are guarantees that such an Polish state, the Nazi Foreign solutely no interests on the American attack against the German people is

Minister said that Germany would continent except for greatest possible once and for all excluded." Versailles Treaty But while Germany always res- war has been forced on to Germany," to withdraw the 750-ton "despatch pected the Monroe Doctrine, the declared von Ribbentrop, German ship Tahure from Hankow. The "Now Soviet Russia and the great existence of many British colonies, Foreign Minister in a speech to the ship is pailing from Hankow for Reich guarantee for the possessions, cooling stations, naval Nazi Old Guard here to-day. whole future the maintenance of bases, etc. on the American continent | He made a lengthy review of the

> and could bring Britain into violent German conflict with Poland. Angle- | leterring to the question of war doubt as to the fact that sooner or hereafter be guarded by about 100 declared guilt, Herr von Ribbentrep said that, later the problems of Danzig and the French troops and 14 French marines, among the whole world public opin- Corridor must be solved," he declared, lon, there was not the alightest doubt and added that Danzig would never that the French people did not want again be separated from the Reich. this war. They would rather have He charged that Poland was solely responsible for the conflict. For six months they had ignored Germany's "unbelievably generous offer," he

them by Britain by negotiations in said. Further, he recalled that in one phase of German foreign policy—the destruction of the Versailles Treatyhe could prove beyond all doubt that vital interests of the Western demo-"the Fuchrer never even touched the cracles."

For years, he said, Germany has sought an understanding with Britain. "The Fuehrer only ceased his Mr. Chamberlain did not go to efforts when he was compelled to Munich in order to prevent war, but recognise that England did not desire to postpone the war the British such friendship," he asserted.
Government had decided upon, he Britain's "Protext"

"There is not a single doubt but The British assertion that Germany that the French people are opposed almed at world domination was ridi- to war," he said, and charged that the war has been the British objec-Britain's foreign policy was un- tive since the Munich Agreement, Britain needed a pretext, he said By slandering Hitler, the British and chose Poland on the recipient of Majesty the Queen to-day visited a want to alienate the German people British mutual aid pledges.

people will not tolerate sly, im- termined to fight this war and to She watched hundreds of girls continue until the security of the making clothes for the troops. We have German Reich is guaranteed, and until the danger of attack on German | nounced, there was a large scrowd By declaring war on Germany, Mr. | people has been removed for all Chamberlain, had broken his agree- times," he declared. And

### DAYLIGHT SAYING

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consequently the saving in nonsterling exchange would be small. Business Objection

Business firms with branches

throughout China strongly deprecate the withdrawal of Hongkong from the zone time of the 120th meridian as it is important to them that offices here and in ports of China should open and close at the same times. . Industrial undertakings employing large numbers of workmen object to an earlier start on winter mornings, On the other hand firms with purely local interest favour the change in the clock, and naval and military authorities are understood to favour the proposal. The Volunteer Defence Corps favour the proposal as it would give them more time for

The Chamber suggests that for the sake of large industrial enterprises and factories generally, no alteration of the clock should be made before

### Sportsmen Pleased

Sportsmen generally will welcome the advent of daylight Though it would make no difference to the hours of play for rugby hockey, football and such cames excepting cricket and tennis, the extra half-hour of light would enable a later start for mid-week games and would eliminate the rush there as at the moment for people leaving their offices at 5 p.m. Here are some of the opinions of

local sportsmen: MR. C. AUSTIN (Club rugger Secretary): It would be of considerable heap to rugby. In consideration of the Wednesday atternoon games, it would not be so necessary for fellows to get our from office so early. Mr. D. Smith (hon. Secretary, the

Riongkong Hockey Assn.): It will make a great difference to civilian Clubs. Most civilians can only piny during the week-ends. Dayligh saving will make the difference of their being able to get away from

MR. T. A. PEARCE (Interport crieketer and well-known golfer): To or later she will have the same situacricket it will be a great beliefit. In tion as in 1914." December and January we now stop play at 8.45 p.m., and daylight saving would mean that we could go on until 0.15 p.m. The same benefits for cricket would apply to golf.

Mr. A. H. Manait (Hon. Secretary, the Hongkong Cricket League): Cricket would benefit. We (the League Committee) have not had a meeting yet, but if daylight saving is introduced, we will meet and advance the time of finishing matches.

MR. LEE WAI TONG (Interport Football captain): It will be good for football. During December and January it is niways very dull towards the end of a game.

Mr. S. A. Rumjaun (former tennis champion of Hongkong): It would be jolly good. Especially in winter. Tennis players now leave office at 5 p.m. and by the time they arrive at their courts it is 5.30 p.m., which leaves very little time for play. "Pilgaim" (Hockey correspond-

ent): It would be a very good thing, and what we have been needoffice at 5 p.m., and to get over to Kowloon, where the greater number and enable players to turn out more

### Lorry Fleet Dynamited

FANCHENG, Oct. 25 (Central),-A fleet of twenty Japanese army forries passing through Kwanchiao near Kingshan, about 00 miles northwest of Hankow in central Hupeh, struck

Chineso mines on Oct, 22, Chinese troops lying in ambush, rushed out and launched an attack. Three lorries were completely wrecked and over forty Japanese

### France Withdraws A Gunboat

HANKOW, Oct. 25 (Domei) .--DANZIG, Oct. 24 (UP) - "This French naval authorities have decided Annam on October 30.

It will carry about 60 French order and peace in East signified a breach of this Doctrine diplomatic events leading to the troops and be escorted down the Yangise by a Japanese warship. The "Germany never left Poland in any French Concession in Hankow will

# WATERLOO ROAD

Chased and arrested by a European Sergeant vesterday, Chung Kwok-on, 32; was found to have stolen nine chickens and six pigeons from 105 Waterloo Road, the restdence of Mrs. Richardson. Chung appeared before Mr. Himm-worth at Kowloon, Magistracy this morning, and was given six weeks! hard inbour. He had a previous conviction for larceny.

### Queen's Visit To London Factory

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—Her large clothing factory in the east

Although her visit was not anbutside the factory and she was warmly cheered.

### ITALY WILL JOIN ALLIES

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Italy as heavily as that due to German action. Sure Of Victory

"I am sure of victory for France and England, but admitting as a hypothesis a victory of Germany, Italy would emerge rulned for conturies. "Germany-which after the war

would have more than 100,000,000 inhabitants united with Russia, which would have more than 200,-000,000-would constitute more of a mortal menace for Italy than for

would prevent Russia from going to Istanbul to use the Stralis as a great highway to Asia and to reach the Mediterranean. "On the other hand, it would be canton impossible to prevent Germany, as Cawapore

successor of Austria-Hungary, from Colombe also reaching the Mediterranean. Delha What would then be the fate of their bong Italy is Free

Nitti was asked if Italy, as a member of the Berlin-Rome-Tokyo axis was free to make her own decisions "She is completely free," he said. "She was rendered free by Ribbenirop - Molotoff second August 23. The axis never was an alliance but an accord aimed fighting Bolshevism, and principally the Comintern, in all Countries of the world.

"From the moment Bolshevist Russia made a real war accord with Germany to partition Poland, Germany accepted Bolshevik domination over a great part of Polish territory and the axis no longer exists.

Axis Betrayed "Italy and Japan are free, Germany betrayed Italy and Japan. Russia betrayed everyone—her ideology, her past, her works, her oft-repeated declarations."

Nitti said Italy could remain neutral in the beginning but that, country of nearly 44,000,000 persons situated in the midst of belligerents nations. cannot remain neutral long. Sooner

### Hitler's Promises

The exiled Statesman said that day be free again, Adolf. Hitler could make no promises to Italy, such as his guarantee of the Brenner frontier, which Italy could accept with confidence that they would not be broken.

"All invasions of Italy," he said, "have been from north to south and,

"In the present movements of Bolshevik Russia and Nazi Germany we find again the Genghis Khan and Attila the Hun. I do not hesitate to say that if civilised Europe does not halt the march of the Barbarians, it risks its own future.

"Bolshevism is an Asiatic system of brutal domination. Allied to or friendly with Nazi Germany, it represents the greatest threat which ever weighed upon Europe, Asia and l even America.

"The threat to Italy is similarly a threat to Catholicism. All Catholic centres in Central Europe have been overthrown - Austria. Czecho-Slovakia, Poland—and Lithuania is

### DANGEROUS ANCHORING

Ling Ping-yau, 55, boatman, was fined \$20 by Mr. Himsworth at Kowloon Magistracy this morning for anchoring his boat containing kernseme outside of the dangerous goods onchorage. Defendant had 40 tins of keresene on his sampan which was in Shackiwan Harbour.

Defendant was also warned that his cargo was liable to be confiscated.

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### Sikorski Thanks The Allies

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Despite the horrors of war and the occupation of Poland, no Pole has lost courage, he says, nor has any Pole any doubts that his country will one accertained on application

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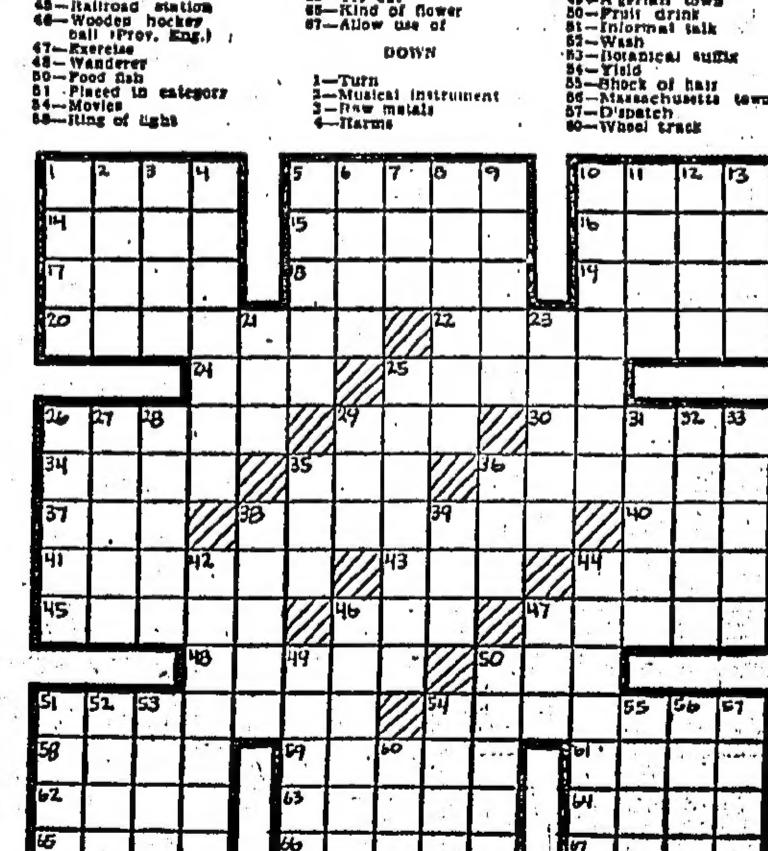
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# STOCK MARKET

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### Engineer Loses His Bail

Arrested by Sgt. McDermott for creating-a disturbance in Nathan Another quiet day has to be re- Road about -1.30 a.m. to-day, John and his ball was costreated.

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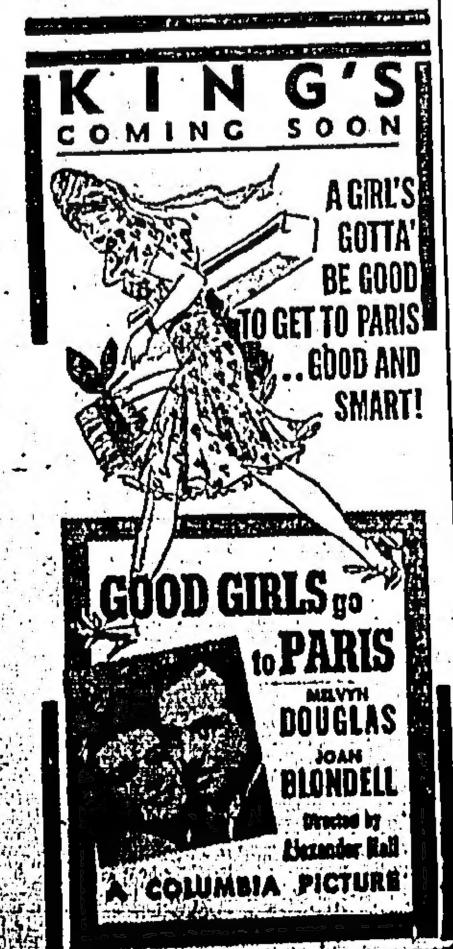
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CURVIVORS of the Courageous, British aircraft carrier sunk in half an hour by a German submarine, told vivid tales of their ship's last moments when

they landed from rescuing destroyers. A petty officer from a destroyer dived 10 times to rescue exhausted men; an engineer officer raced below while the lower decks were awash, in a desperate effort to trim the ship; a boy seaman smoked a cigarette on deck until the cry,

"Every man for himself." These were among the stories of heroism by officers, men, and boys, told by the survivors —listed at 681 of a complement of 1,260.

the decks awash, carefully his stog, as the ship finally went lustily." throwing away their heavy down." clothing and their heavy money.

the ship was sinking.

ahead at fast speed. The four escort destroyers had just her to the bottom.

stumbling in the darkness over friends killed by the explosion. A torpedo hit the boiler-room. What happened there was told by Stoker B. W. Dellow, of James-street,

"A sheet of flame streaked neross my hold as oil caught fire. The fumes were choking. Light and low?" he exclaimed. power went off at once. "We all raced up the companion

DECK CAVED IN

BY THE EXPLOSION

"The stokers' mess deck was hit wait a bit and they would tell me decks, and soon had some hot rum." and caved in. I went to the flying deck, which was before diving into the sea.

There was no panic. turned over to float on my back, their body belts. Courageous was going down by the BOY OF 15 LED

"The starboard rail was still lined with men, many of them in the act of jumping overboard. There was one man hanging from the ensign- float with men on her. One of them in Gdynia or Adlerhorst,

There were men who calmly pole, still hesitating whether to let | the seemed a kid of about 15gave advice to each other with go. "I saw the captain alone, saluting a song?" and they all began to sing

Stoker William Britton, of Church- Wells, son of a Scaton (Devon) Officers stood by giving road, Busby, near Glasgow, tells of widow was in his hammock when orders, as if for boat-drill, while men.

When the explosion came, stroyer, swam to men who were up by a small bont, Courageous, a ship of 22,000 exhausted, and held them up until tons, one of Britain's seven they could be got aboard. There they were singing." was also a young A.B. who went aircraft carriers, was steaming overboard twice to save a couple of rush of water from the Courageous

Stoker Britton said that in com- Exeter boy said. finished a circuit of the ship. They picte darkness he and some of his were on the look-out for just such mutes groped their way to the top they were forced to swim. a danger as within half an hour sent deck. There would be 50 of them in the mess deck, and he did not Men stumbled from below deck as suppose 12 of them got out. the explosion shook the ship, BURNED, HE ASKED

FIRST ABOUT FRIENDS

attack, one stoker, though smother- stern of the Courageous go right up ed in oil and badly burned, thought in the air, and the ship suddenly at first of his comrades. "What about the lads down be-

Stoker Andrew Logue, of Glasgow, moving, but some older men who hardly disturbed the doat.

when to jump. "I saw pals dead in the corridors. "Everybody was perfectly cool and The ship was rapidly listing to port, men had got rid of heavy clothing crowded with officers and men. "As the men waited to go overboard they calmly counted their "I dived off the sloping deck, and money, throwing away the coppers after swimming a few minutes I and tucking silver and notes into

SINGING ON RAFT

A 10-years-old, John Desmond "I believe I was swimming in oil

"He dived ten times from the de- for nearly an hour until I was picked "Even when men were swimming

One of the bonts was sunk in a ofter going only a few yards, an "About 30 men were in her, and

"Meanwhile, I waited on deck and smoked a cigarette. Then I heard a shout 'Every man for himself!' and, slipping off my trousers, I went down the ship's side on a rope and dived into the sen. "I struck out for about 40 yards

Immediately after the submarine and when I looked round I saw the "I swam like blazes then and

reached a float with a number of men on it. Everybody was cheerful and singing 'Rolling Home.' "I stripped off everything except "After about 45 minutes a deshorts and singlet. I was going over stroyer came alongside, and she was the side while the ship was still handled so beautifully that she had been in the last war told me to swarmed up ropes to the destroyer's

### German Minorities Go To Danzig

DANZIG, Oct. 24 (UP).--More than 4,000 German minorities, mostly from Estonia, have arrived here so

'After a short period in private homes the migrants have been moved "While I was swimming I saw a to temporary or permanent quarters





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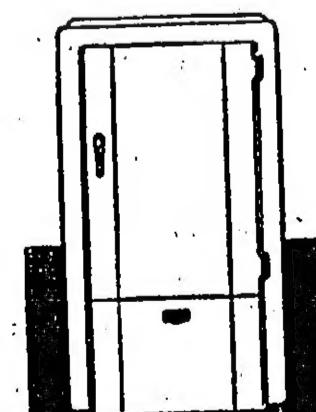
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### NANCY









# Chinese Relentlessly

FOLLOWING up their recent successes. Chinese troops are keeping up relenties attacks on the Japanese at Fenghslen and other points Japanese are considering withdrawal to the railway line to consolidate at the Criminal Sessions, before Ip Mau-wong took place as the re-

city, inflicting some 200 Japanese soldiers. cosucilies. On the Loyang front, serious en-

angements between Chinese and Japanese forces have been in progress near Slangning, in west Shansi, during the last two days.

Japanese troops from Sinklang, 110 Prisoners of War loisin and Eucheng, attempting to 110 Prisoners of War Hoisin and Kucheng, attempting to go to the rescue of their comrades east of Slangning, have met with stiff Chinese resistance.

A Japanese force succeeded in penetraling the Chinese cordon west less).—It was stated in the House of Sinngning and is pushing towards of Lords to-day that 110 German Tashitow in an attempt to establish sailors and airmen are interned as contact with the Japanese column prisoners of war in Britain. As advancing from Hotsin. This torce there are only an insignificant numis now being engaged by the Chinese ber of British airmen prisoners in at Shihkichtsun.

Bitter fighting has also been rage, change of prisoners so far arises. ing in the vicinity of Wensi in south Shansi, where over 700 Japanese, pushing towards the Chinese nosttions south-east of Wensi under cover of heavy artiflery fire and acrial bombardments, have sustained serious losses.

Chinese mebile units have been extremely active in the outskirts of der Jananese occupation. Tightening their grip on Yoyang, food.

the Chinese have occupied Yenchiata-

At Wulipai a group of Japanese foreing a number of Chinese pea-1 sants to repair the highway was at-

# In Britain

tacked and annihilated, it is claimed.

LONDON, Oct. 24 (British Wire-Germany, no question of the ex-

### Viennese Women March In Protest

Talyuan, capital of Shansi, now un- women of Vienna are forming pronomings to protest against the lack of three days.

With a traditional sense of the dramatic; they carry empty food-'Chinese vanguards operating on the baskets over their heads and dismaily Hunan-Hupch border on Sunday claimt "We thank our Fuchrer."

FIRST PICTURES! ACTUAL WARFARE!

GERMANY'S MARCH INTO POLAND!

Somewhere near Cracow . . . Pictures of one of the many German air fleets on a day's

assignment in the "blitzkrieg" . . . the schedule of lightning war.

Somewhere near Bromberg (Polish Corridor) ... First pictures with the Reich's landjarmy

in Poland. High-speed tanks and motorized infantry move up for the encirclement of

the Poles.

Newest pictures from Danzig . . . Nazi-fied! The "Free City", which was the focal point

at the start of hostilities, gots increased German garrisons.

The bombardment of Westerplatte Fort at the edge of Danzig. German training ship

"Schleswig-Holstein" in ceaseless attack on the fortress, where "sulcide battalion," holds

First pictures from bombed Warsaw, made by Paramount News American Cameramon and

bombardment . . .

The Polish Capital shrinking from the terror of agrical

out nearly a week before surrendering.

SPECIAL

PARAMOUNT NEWS

Hang Mines, New Territories, D'Almada e Castro Jr., instructed by on the night of September 9 led Alloged Assemble Described to the appearance this morning Mr. Prentis said that the death of

Japanese are considering withdrawal to the railway line to consolidate the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl sult of an assault which occurred at their positions, says "Central News."

In an assault yesterday morning, destroyed three Japanese army lorries the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl sult of an assault which occurred at the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl sult of an assault which occurred at the Lin Ma Hang Mines about 11.30 MacGregor, of Victor Shamraeff, p.m. on September 9. The deceased plan on the highway between Yanglowsze 24-year-old Russian employee of was employed as a driller but as there was employed as a driller but as there the bus station outside Fenghslen and Wulipai and killed ten Japanese the mine, on a charge of the was no drilling to be done that night manslaughter of Ip Mau-wong, he was given other work. There a mine coolie.

spicen and internal haemorrhage, shift which was from six p.m. until Ma Chau, about 1 o'clock this morn-Medical evidence showed that Ip's 2 a.m. spicen was three times the norman About 11 p.m. after the men had \$53.60 and fewellery valued at \$50. size and Dr. K. T. Tye described it had their meal, the defendant noticed as a "malarial spicen."

### Missing R.A.F Pinnace Safe

R.A.F. pinnace and crew of seven ceased. As a result of the blow dehave arrived safely back to their ceased fell face downwards to the northern bases after being missing ground. The other men then went to for four days. The pinnace was caught in a gale the ground.

which kept up and prevented air-VIENNA, Oct. 24 (Reuter).-The craft, destroyers and life-boats from finding her although they hunted for

Although the pinnace's wireless was out of order, there were rations and a keg of water on board, and the crew, undounted, safely returned to able to get up. Stewart sent for de- sick it up and run away. port early on the fifth day.

AN incident at the Lin Ma was defended by the Hon. Mr. Leo

some men absent and asked another Mr. J. B. Prentis Assistant Crown man, Tseng Tung, where they were, Solicitor, prosecuted and Shamraen Tseng replied that they were down below and defendant asked Tseng to go and find out the reason for their delay. Tseng went, and upon return-ing, reported that the men were at

the bottom of the ladder. The defendant and Tseng went down together and on reaching the men, he struck one of them a light blow on the buttock and then slapped LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter) .- A the others' faces including the detheir work but deceased lay still on

### "I Hit Him"

Later, a Mr. Stewart, with whom ar, the number of which he rememdefendant had taken his meal that, sered knocked him down. night, came up and saw two men standing over deceased. Investigation revealed that the man was un- he roadway, he noticed a small boy fendant and inquired what had havepaned. Defendant replied: "The The injured man was removed and REICH swine attacked me and I ait him." the mines doctor gave him an injettion but he died soon afterwards. Mr. Prentis said the evidence would

case strict orders had been given to Government. European employees not to strike Tseng Tung said that when, in same manner as the King's subjects. obedience to Shamraeff's order, he went down and called to the men tude for leave given them to rebuild

cannot come up so quickly." Under cross-examination Tsang Hitler regime." about 25 minutes after first discovering the absence of the men before going down to see for himself. Meanwhile, the men had made no effort to get back to work.

### Injuries Described

Dr. K. T. Tye, of the Kowloon Mortuary, said the deceased had small bruises on the lips and on the left side of the body near the ribs. The blow that caused the wound on the lips was, in his opinion, a soft one. He agreed that it was possible that the wound on the left side over the splcen might have been caused by the man falling over stones.

The hearing was adjourned until

The jury was composed of: Messrs, E. R. Cutcher (foreman) J. 11. Xavier, J. D. Chin, E. Christensen, A. A. Silva, H. Advani and H. T.

### Polish Legion To Be Inspected

PARIS, Oct. 24 (Reuter).—General Sikorski, the Polish Prime Minister, left Paris to-night with a French milliory mission to inspect the Polish Legion in the provinces. A London message says that the Polish Consul-General has requested all Polish citizens in Britain to appear before a recruiting commission

army in France. The order affects all those liable for military service between the ages of 18 and 45.

for military service with the Polish

# Exchange

SPECIAL TO THE "TELEGRAPH" LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter) -Subsinnilal gains were shown in most groups after an active session in Stock Exchange in which gilt-edged securities took the lead owing girong investment and support. An early improvement in gilt--dged holdings quickly had a favourable effect on home industrials. Kaffirs, which were among the strong again, full of vigour and enders, closed around the day's best

Wall Street was irregular.

### MASKED ROBBERS IN RAID

Eight men, all masked, and four of were in all 2,000 Chinese employed them in possession of revolvers, at the mine, chiefly Hakkas and entered two houses occupied by To Ip, who it is alleged, was struck Shantung men, and they worked in Mui, 54, widow, Cheung Suk-ying, on the face by Shamrasit for not two shifts, one day and one night, 64, widow, and Choi Yuk-wai, 14 being at his post, died of a ruptured This incident occurred during a night year-old girl, in Lui Pok Village, Lok ing, and robbed the occupants of

Old Man Attacked Tang Hoi, a 71-year-old ropemaker employed in the Hongkong tope Factory, Kennedy Town, was ittacked and robbed by two men, irmed with pen-knives, at the rear of the Factory early this morning. Tang was returning to work about 20 a.m. when two men haited him. One man cut his girdle and stole his .urse containing \$40, while the other Inshed him on the chin.

Pedestrian Robbed After being knocked down by a notor car which falled to stop, Lal hu-sun, of 340 Des Voeux Road Vest, was robbed of a parcel conlining \$310, yesterday. The accident occurred about 10 a.m. vhen Lai was walking in Des Voeux

load Central near the Market. A The parcel of money flew out of is hand, and while lying dazed on

show that Ip was perfectly healthy | NAIROBI, Oct. 24 (Reuter) .- Gerbefore he was struck. He said that man and Austrian refugees in Kenya the assault was unlawful, and in any have offered their services to the

In a petition they ask to be accepted for military and other duties in the In their letter they express gratito come up someone replied: "We their homes and live in liberty after. "the degrading oppression of the

### Embargo Debate To Continue

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Reuter). The Senate has refused to apply Parliamentary guillotine to the Embargo Debate.

The measure will now be threshed out by its opponents. The Isolationist Group, headed by Senator Johnson, will probably meet to-day to reconsider their decision.

### Proper Punishment For Advertisers

SHANGHAI, Oct. 24 (UP).—Wang Ching-wei's cultural anti-Communist division has circularised advertisers in the American owned "Chinese-American Daily News" to withdraw their advertising on threat of "proper punishment." The newspaper is strongly anti-Wang Ching-wei.

### AFTER FEVER CARE

During fever, the whole system

including the digestive organs is undermined and weakened. Convalescence will be hastened if tissue can be quickly rebuilt and strength restored by building up reserves. The patient must be encouraged to take as much nourishing food as the capacity of the weakened digestive organs will allow. Doctors all over the world have found that Horlicks supplies the right kind of nourishment in an easily digested form. Furthermore, it is palatable and helps to stimulate the appetite. Get Horlicks to-day, at your store. In an amazingly short time you will be up and

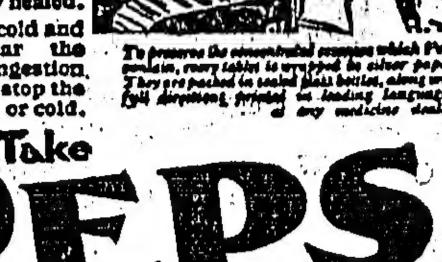
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### RENT CASE

### Court Fixes Fair And Reasonable Charge

The Hongkong Trust Corporation Ltd., Holland House was plaintiff in a possession case against K. T. Pau of 10 Village, Road, second floor, before Mr. Justice Lindsell in the Summary Court to-day.

defendant.

the Court, which had the power to speech translated into French.

do that. In 1935 when the property They were apparently released in market was in a depressed condiat \$35 a month and that rental in- French lines. cluded water charges.

### Agreed To \$65

In 1936, continued Mr. Wynter-Blyth they were taking in new tenants at \$40 a month and in January 1937 the rentals were increased. The Sino-Japanese war was started during the course of 1937 but no in- Republic bus claimed the return of erease in rental was made by plain- former Armenian territory from tiff between January 1937 and Turkey are discounted in Moscow. January 1938. The only increase Diplomatic circles here point out made was for that tenants were re- that, under the U.S.S.R. constitution, quired to pay the water rates and individual. Soviet republics lack meter rent. In May 1938 an increase jurisdiction over foreign affairs. Any was made to \$45.

Mr. Wynter-Blyth pointed out that nine tenants who were entitled to the protection of the Prevention of Eviction Ordinance have agreed to a rental of \$65. In this case an offer had been made to settle at a rental of \$65 and this was subsequently reduced to \$63.

Following evidence, Mr. Justice Lindsell said the nature of the premises was very exceptionally in and out. He held that \$63.85, mcluding water meter rent, was a fair and reasonable rent.

### R.A.F. Save Two Crews

### **Epic Performances** Recorded

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter).— Members of the R.A.F. Observer Corps, who watch for enemy craft night and day, are also able to perform other feats besides. ..

They recently saved the crews of two British ships.

In one case, as the result of a collision off the east coast at night, the captain's S.O.S. signals on the German Youths ship's sirens were picked up by observers who sent an urgent message to the Const Guard.

unit reported having seen distress German youths who were charged rockets from the same ship, and with robbing a woman of 150 marks thanks to prompt warnings the crew during an air raid blackout have been were rescued by life-boats.

In another case, the Admiralty The youths are Franz Kinze, aged have sent a message of thanks for 17; Wilhalm Letzing, aged 18 and help rendered on the west const Ludwig Pawlicek, aged 21. when observers got a message through to the Admiralty so quickly that al-though the ship was sinking, tugs were able to get out to her in time

### FORMER NAZIS IN PANIC

### Threat Of Transfer To Bohemia

BUDAPEST Oct. 24 (Reu-Both will be detained in Korsoer, ter).—Germans living in south- pending decision whether they should east Hungary have been thrown be interned. into a panic by rumours that they will be transferred to Bohemia.

Although they were very pro-Nazi before, they have now expelled their Nazi Party organisers and are refusing to send their children to hem to grow up "true Hungarians." Germans in South-east Hungary

Czechs Escape

LONDON, Oct. 24 (Reuter) .-From Bohemia and Moravia come reports that Czech steel-workers forced to work in German factories are escaping back across the frontier.

They tell of bitterness and distillusionment in the German worker

### Soviet-Finnish Negotiations

HELSINKI, Oct. 25 (Reuter) .-News of the return of M. Pansikivi and other important members of the Mission only 36 hours after reaching Moscow has caused a sensation here. They are seeking fresh instructions following new proposals by M.

### Not A Rupture

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 25 (Reuter).— It is not a case of rupture in the negotiations but merely an attempt of me Soviet'to play on her neighbours' nerves, according to the Helsinki correspondent of the "Afton Bladet."

### Moscow's New Proposals

ROME, Oct. 25 (Reuter).-From Moscow new proposals include firstly. special rights on certain islands in the Gulf of Finland; secondly, an undertaking by Finland not to support any action against the Soviet.

### Nazi Propaganda In Balloons

BASLE, Oct. 25 (UP).-A cluster of toy balloons, carrying printed Mr. P. Wynter-Blyth acted for matter was found in a suburb of plaintiff and Mr. W. M. Brown for Basle (Switzerland) to-day. The discoverers of the balloons Mr. Wynter-Blyth sald an agree- advertising stunt in connection with all directions at 2.30 p.m. to-day by ment had been reached and the a forthcoming Basic fair. They only point to consider was the fix- found upon examination, however, ing of a fair and reasonable rent by that the messages were Hitler's recent

tion plaintiff were renting their flats winds would carry them across the

### Russia's "No Claims On Turkey"

mours that the Armenian Soviet such claim as that reported would have to be made by the Kremlin. The latter bedy has repeatedly asperted that it has no territorial claims; against Turkey. .

### False Air Raid Alarm

At 3.20 p.m. to-day, air rald warning sirens were heard in the Colony. The sounding of the sirens caused come excitement in the business and shopping centres of Hongkong. An A.R.P. official said: "It must be the result of a technical fault. . We didn't even hear them."

### Stolen Gold For U.S. Purchases

LONDON, Oct. 25 (UP).—The seventeen and a half tons of Polish told seized by Soviet Russin will Innuce Russian purchases in the United States, it is stated to-day. The gold has already been shipped icross Germany to Netherlands banks, Russia is believed to be seeking 'arge purchases of machine tools in the United States, due to the inibility of British contractors to fulfil orders since the outbreak of war.

# Be Executed

HANOVER, Oct. 5 (UP),-Three sentenced to death by the military tribunal here.

### Another Nazi Plane-Downed

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 25 (UP).-Fresh evidence of the extent of the Nazi losses in the recent air raids on the east coast of England was provided to-day, when a steamer arrived at Korsoer, in Denmark, with two German pilats aboard.

The pilots, whose plane was damoged, were forced to land in the sen.
One man had an injured leg, caused by a machine-gun bullet.
Both will be detained in Korsoer,

Negotiations with Japanese au-thorities reported late this afterneon to be successful as result of which Kinshan will replace the Fatshan on the Hongkong-Conton , fortalghtly German schools because they want service. She will probably leave to-

A salvage tug is at present alongside the beached "Fatshan" at Lir have been there since the eighteenth Tin Island and an attempt is to be made to tow the vessel to Hongkong for repairs.

### Horse Scatters **Pedestrians**

Pedestrians in Nathan Road be-tween Boundary Street and Prince Edward Road were sent scattering in

The horse broke away from the stables at the Polo Ground. An elderly woman parrowly esemped being knocked down as the horse turned into Nathan Road. Traffic was temporarily stopped and pedestrians took cover in en-

trances to buildings. The animal was eventually caught by Mr. Lemesurier at the junction of Road and Prince Edward

# Market

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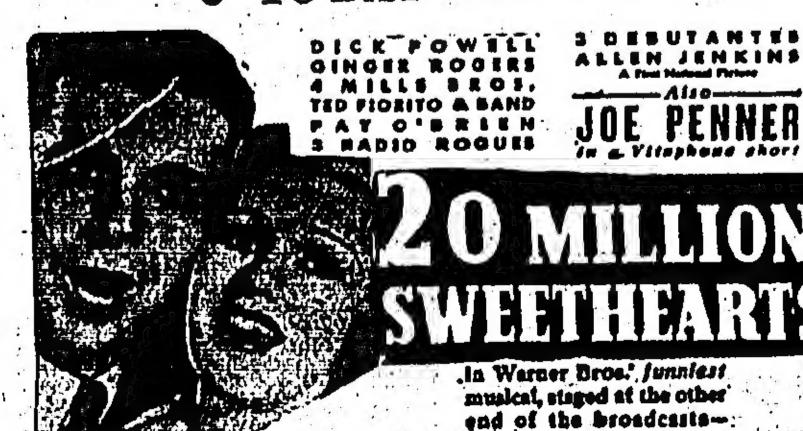
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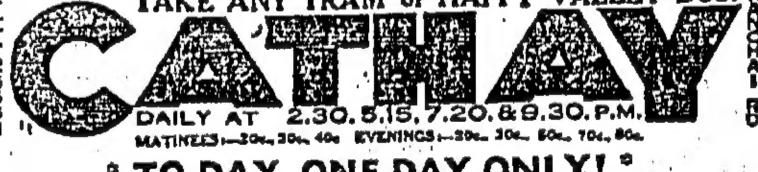
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as percentage of the profits of this The Royal Engineers Old Comrades and future dances will be carmarked of the season at the Peninsula Hotel On November 11 a dance will be

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